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1914 GOOD BUILDING YEAR

TWENTY—FIVE BUILDINGS ERECTED—MANY FINE HOMES

The Greatest Amount of Concrete Work Ever Done in a Single Year was Built

While there have been years in which more buildings were erected in Gettysburg than in 1914, yet the past year shows a very substantial addition to the town. Twenty-five new buildings and many of them handsome residences, is a good showing in a year that from a number of points of view could be called a lean one for the town.

The following is the list and in it are two buildings begun in preceding year but upon which the greater part of the work and finishing was done in 1914.

On Lincoln avenue, residences of Mrs. Rev. E. H. True and Dr. P. M. Bikle.

On Broadway, residences of Prof. M. H. Roth, Frank Peckman and John W. Brehm.

On N. Stratton street, three dwellings of G. W. Stallsmith, Mrs. Mary Bubb and J. O. G. Weaner.

On N. Washington street, residence of W .E. Ziegler, the A. T. O. Fraternity House and stable of J. N. Weaver.

On York street two dwellings for Harold Strickhouser, Batterman angine Co. Plant and High School addition.

On Hanover street, residence of Chas. Sheads.

On E. Middle street, two residences of Miss Vergie Musser.

On South street, two residences of Roy Plank and Kurtz Playground Lodge.

On W. Middle street, two residences for Crawford Warren.

1914 saw more concrete work done in Gettysburg than in preceding year. The people engaged in this work, C. W. Lady, Michael Tate, Wm. Haner and Sing Carter were busy from the opening to end of the season. Thousands of feet of concrete curbs have been built, for two-thirds of which the property owners are liable. Martin Winter has been busy with concrete work on Broadway, and that street has begun to take on the handsome appearance that will be presented when the work is finished. The concrete curbing around the grass plots in the center of the street and the concrete corners of pavements at intersections of street give a fine effect to the street. Many new pavements of concrete have gone down during the year, and every such pavement ought to be the stimulus to the building of many more in 1915. The days of the brick pavement have passed and the day of the modern concrete pavement is here. Why not get modern in 1915?

Christmas Celebration.

The Christmas cheer and good will that abounded in Gettysburg was shown in the excellent celebrations held in the churches, Sunday Schools and public schools. The programs were most interesting and the children were enthusiastic and everywhere there were lavish supplies of candy, fruit and gifts.

The Christmas good will was illustrated in a wonderful way in the Community Christmas tree which proved a most enjoyable feature of the season. The exercises as scheduled were held and over nine hundred children were in the line that were given a bag of candy and an orange each.

Many of our people contributed to the success of the municipal Xmas tree and the raising of the money for the expenses came with the asking. The tree itself was picked by R. C. Miller and Allan B. Plank on a journey to the Narrows and the latter worked indefatigable for the success of the undertaking. The tree has presented a beautiful spectacle each evening with its hundred of colored lights. To the Light Company and its manager, T. P. Turner, and the Power House boys the community is very greatly indebted for the generous help in donating the work and current for the lighting of the tree, and the Power House boys had a very difficult work in wiring the tree on a day of bitter coldness.

To the committee of ladies, Mrs. C. G. Crist, Mrs H. B. Pender, Mrs. Allan B. Plank and Mrs. Wayne Keet much credit and praise is due for their work of collecting the funds and making the bags for the candy and for the much other work which contributed to the success of the event.

Remonstrances to Liquor Licenses.

A determined effort on the part of certain temperance societies to prevent the granting of certain liquor licenses in the county is indicated by remonstrances filed in the office of Clerk of the Courts Olinger Tuesday afternoon, and will be heard by the Court on next Monday, Jan. 8th.

The remonstrances are two in number and were filed by Wm. & Wm. Arch. McClean as attorneys for the officers of the Anti-Saloon League and the Women's Christian Temperance Union. In each case the legal objection is made that the petitions are not signed by the requisite number of qualified electors who have not signed any other petitions, and eliminating those who have duplicated their signatures the number of qualified signers is insufficient. All but two of the licensed places in Gettysburg are involved, they are the Battlefield Hotel and Wabash Hotel, both in Third Ward.

The exact language of the remonstrance is as follows: "The application violates the letter and spirit of the Act of May 3, 1887, regulating the granting of licenses, which requires a certificate signed by at least twelve reputable, qualified electors of said ward, borough and township in which such liquors are to be sold, in that the said application does not have twelve signatures of electors to the certificate that are not on any other certificate in the district, and being deficient in this respect the statutory license cannot be granted."

The remonstrances are filed against the Hotel Gettysburg, which is alleged to have but eight petitioners who have not signed other license petitions; the Lincoln Way Hotel with nine; the Gettysburg Bottling Works with six; City Hotel with four; Washington House with eleven; Eagle Hotel with three; John Kimple's Wholesale license with seven; Geo. Hartzell's Restaurant with three. These all are in Gettysburg. The remaining two are John D. Mayers and Mrs. Mary Riffle, Littlestown, the former with four separate signers and the latter with eleven.

Appended to these remonstrances are the names of those who have not signed any other licenses and also those who have duplicated. Among the latter in the borough of Gettysburg is one man who signed five, four who signed four each and a larger number who signed two and three each, and in Littlestown six signed three applications and twice that number two each.

A separate and joint meeting of the Executive Committee of the Adams County W. C. T. U. and the Adams County Committee of the Anti-Saloon League was held on Monday, at which it was decided to employ counsel and file remonstrances, with the above result.

Evergreen Cemetery Improvements.

During the past year enlargement and improvement of the beautiful Evergreen Cemetery have been projected and will be carried forward in the coming year. Several years ago a tract of land was bought from the Leister heirs immediately south of the present cemetery containing a little more than twelve acres. During the past few months the Evergreen Cemetery Association has bought from Wm. H. Johns a tract of land of two acres and a half adjoining the Leister tract and running along the Taneytown road and directly in the rear of the National Cemetery. Then for the purpose of obtaining straight boundary lines a tract of a half acre has been bought from C. C Rider and a few perches from Wm. Bushman. Altogether more than three acres has been added to the Evergreen Cemetery, or with the Leister tract over fifteen acres.

The new body of land runs from the Taneytown road to the Baltimore turnpike and when the new ground has been laid out there will be entrances to the Cemetery on both roads, which will be a decided advantage over the one entrance plan of to-day.

A New York landscape artist has been over the old cemetery and the new ground and has been engaged to plot the new ground, with driveways, entrances, and advised how it should be planted with trees and shrubbery. Part of the work of the new year will be the planting of the slow-growing trees and in later years the faster growing trees will be added, so that when the lots are for sale the new part will be as beautiful as the old. At the rate lots have been sold in recent years within less than ten years there will be few unsold lots in the old cemetery.

St. John's Masonic Banquet.

Good Samaritan Lodge 208 F. and A. M., celebrated St. John's Day with a banquet at Hotel Gettysburg on Monday evening. One hundred and four members and invited guests were present who did full justice to the excellent feast which had been provided for the occasion.

Edgar A. Crouse acted as toastmaster and after prayer by Rev. T. C. Hesson the following toasts were proposed and responded to:

"Our Ancient Brethren," Daniel C. Jacobs; "Cause or Effect—Which?" Rev. A. E. Wagner; "The Masonic Home, Elizabethtown, Pa.," W. H. Tipton.

Evangelistic Services.

Evangelistic services will begin in the local Methodist Church Sunday evening, Jan. 10. Large plans are being made for these special meetings which are an annual feature of Methodism. A big chorus is being formed under the leadership of H. R. Rommel, and the Billy Sunday revival songs will be used in all these meetings. Cottage prayer meetings will be held through the town next week as a preparation for the coming effort. Dr. Cyler who conducted a successful meeting at New Oxford will have charge and his special evangelistic sermons every evening and be accompanied by Mrs. Cyler who will render soul stirring gospel songs. The public is cordially invited to these services.

New Class for Music Students.

Miss Edith Dorsey of 141 Baltimore street will take a limited number of piano students. She studied four years in Irving College, Mechanicsburg, Pa., and Hood College, Frederick, Md., and during the past summer took a teacher's course in piano at Peabody Institute, Baltimore, Md. Any students desiring to take a course in theory may join a theory class given along with the piano lessons. 1t.

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COLLEGE TRUSTEES MEET

DEGREE OF LL. D. GIVEN DEAN SHAILER MATHEWS, CHICAGO

Two Oldest Graduates Sent Greetings of Congratulations —Other Business

The trustees of Gettysburg College held the winter meeting of the board on Tuesday in Zion Lutheran Church, Harrisburg. Twenty-five of the thirty-six trustees were in attendance, the following from this place being present: Dr. W. A. Granville, Dr. J. A. Clutz, Dr. T. C. Billheimer, Dr. A. E. Wagner, Hon. R. Wm. Bream, and H. C. Picking. John F. Dapp presided, and a quantity of routine business was disposed of.

The Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon Dean Shailer Mathews of the Divinity School of the University of Chicago.

Dr. Dean Shailer Mathews, who was honored, is a writer and lecturer of national reputation and is the president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America. The constituent bodies of this council consist of thirty of the leading Protestant Evangelwistical denominations in America numbering 16,000,000 communicant members and 20,000,000 additional adherents.

The Board adopted suitable resolutions of congratulations which will be formally engrossed and sent to Rev. William F. Eyster of Crete, Neb., 93 years of age, and Rev. William Gerhardt of Martinsburg, W. Va., 97 years of age, the two oldest living graduates of Gettysburg College. Rev. Eyster entered the college from Harrisburg and was graduated in 1839 and Rev. Gerhardt entered from Berlin, Pa., and was graduated in 1841. Rev. Eyster is therefore a college graduate of 75 years standing and Rev. Gerhardt a close second with 73 years to his credit as a college man. So far as is known the alumni histories of no other college in the country show such remarkable age records or so long a time since graduation from college as stand to the credit of these two men.

A new course in history and political science was established.

Prof. Stephen Remington Wing was promoted to full professor of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering Department.

Dormitory privileges in the various fraternity houses have not heretofore been allowed the students of Pennsylvania College, but the Board decided in favor of granting this privilege to two students from each fraternity, who may room in their respective lodges and act in the capacity of care takers of the premises.

Four hundred students were reported as now enrolled.

The committee in charge of the campaign for new buildings reported progress and announced that during the ensuing year the work would show increased activity.

Resolutions were passed by the meeting regretting the illness of Rev. W. H. Dunbar of Baltimore, a member of the Board of Trustees and extending sincere sympathy to the family, also expressing joy at his favorable change for complete recovery.

The resignation of Dr. E. S. Breidenbaugh as editor of the Pennsylvania College Book was presented. Dr. Breidenbaugh edited the first edition of this book, which was issued in 1882, on the occasion of the Fiftieth anniversary of the school and it was the intention to have a similar edition compiled until the 75th anniversary. Owing to ill health Dr. Breidenbaugh was unable to complete this work, although a large amount of the necessary data had been collected by him. The advisability of having a College Book issued for the 85th anniversary falling in 1917, was discussed and a committee appointed to have charge of the matter. This committee will communicate with members of the alumni and if sufficient interest is forthcoming to warrant the publication, report to this effect will be made at the June meeting of the Board and definite plans formulated.

Prof. Abdel Ross Wentz was chosen College Historian, an office created by the Board at this meeting.

Pretty Home Wedding.

SNYDER—BOYD.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday evening, Dec. 23, at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride, near Gettysburg, Pa., when Miss Fannie Boyd, formerly of Hanover, was united in marriage to William Snyder of Pottstown, Pa., by the Rev. Dr. Fry, in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. The bride was attired in a dress of white crepe de chine, with bridal veil and carried bride's roses. The matron of honor, Mrs. Charles H. Richter, of near Hanover, wore a dress of crepe de chine and carried roses. The bridesmaids, Miss Estelle Hershey, of Hanover, Pa., and Miss Sara Y. Dechler of Lancaster, were attired in white voile. Charles H. Richter of near Hanover, was best man. Rev. Woods of Fairfield, performed the ceremony. Promptly at 8 o'clock the wedding procession entered the parlor to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by Miss Musselman of Gettysburg. The parlor was tastefully decorated with trailing ivy and cut flowers. The bride was the recipient of many valuable and useful presents, such as cut glass, silver and linen. After the marriage ceremony a turkey supper was served by able caterers on the dishes used at the wedding of the bride's mother some 60 years ago.

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ROBBINS — STROCK.—On Christmas evening at the home of the bride, was solemnized the wedding of Chester Robbins of Bridgeton, N. J., to Miss Grace Strock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Strock of Carlisle. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Abdel Ross Wentz, Ph.D., of Gettysburg College, a seminary classmate of the bride's brother, Rev. J. Roy Strock of Guntur, India. The bride was handsomely attired in crepe de chene and lace, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Since her graduation from Dickinson College she has been engaged in teaching. Mr. and Mrs. Robbins will move immediately into their home at Bridgeton, N. J., where Mr. Robbins is professor of German in the High School. Mrs. Robbins was teacher in the Gettysburg High School during the year 1911-1912, having charge of the German Department.

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SPANGLER—ERNST.—At the Lutheran parsonage in York Springs Tuesday evening, Harry Spangler of Huntington township, and Miss Maude F. Ernst of Latimore township, were married by the pastor, Rev. Paul Gladfelter. Mr. Spangler is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Spangler and his bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Ernst of Latimore.

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MCCARRELL — SCHARF. — Miss Jane Scharf, of Selinsgrove, and John McCarrell of Shippensburg, were married in Trinity Lutheran Church, Selinsgrove, on Thursday evening, Dec. 24. Mr. McCarrell is well known in Gettysburg. He was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity at college, where he was graduated with the class of 1909. For several years he has been connected with the State Highway Department.

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KINDIG—DITZLER.—John Kindig of near Littlestown, and Miss Alta Ditzler of near Christ Church, were married Thursday, Dec. 24th at Frederick, Md., by Rev. John A. Ditzler, a cousin of the bride. Mr. Kindig is a dairyman of Littlestown and the bride is a daughter of John Ditzler.

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WOODWARD—GIFT.—Chas. W. Woodward of Arendtsville, and Miss Ethel Gift of Waynesboro, were married last Friday morning at Trinity Reformed parsonage, Waynesboro, by Rev. Dr. F. F. Bahner.

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THOMAS — HAVERSTOCK.—On Thursday, Dec. 24th at home of the bride, James R. Thomas, son of Noah Thomas of Butler township, and Miss Alice A. Haverstock, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Haverstock, were united in marriage by the bride's pastor, Rev. David T. Koser.

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PAPE — ROTHHAUPT.—On Dec. 28, Miss Eva Rothhaupt, daughter of Mrs. Harry Rothhaupt of Rothhaupt's Mill, and John H. Pape were married in Baltimore. The groom is employed at the National Garage.

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CRAMER — BRUMBAUGH.—On Christmas Eve, Miss Ethel A. Brumbaugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brumbaugh of Atlantic City, and former residents of Gettysburg, and Geo. P. Cramer of Atlantic City were united in marriage.

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GILBERT—FOGLE.—Miss Maud Katherine Fogle of Hazleton, and Harvey N. Gilbert of Chambersburg, were married at the bride's home on Tuesday by Rev. John Wagner. Both bride and groom graduated from Gettysburg College in class of 1910. They will live at Brookline, Mass., the groom being employed with research chemist firm of Boston.

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SELL—JOHNS.—On Tuesday evening Dr. Roger K. Sell of Hanover, and Miss Genevieve Johns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Johns of Blue Gables, near McSherrystown, were united in marriage by Rev. L. Aug. Reudter. The groom is a son of Charles Sell of near Littlestown and is a graduate of the Medical Department, University of Maryland, and has been practicing his profession with Dr. A. C. Kagy, his uncle, in Hanover. The young couple went on a wedding trip to Baltimore, Washington and Philadelphia.

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SPINNER—CORNMAN.—A. C. Spinner of Camden, N. Y., salesman for the American Type Founders' Company, and well known at the latter shops of this place, and Miss Mary Cornman of Carlisle, were married Tuesday at Elkton, Md. They will reside at Carlisle.

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BOSHOVER — TRUMP — The marriage of Elmer Boshover of Washington, D. C., a member of the Sophomore class of Gettysburg College, and Miss Sarah Trump of Washington, has been announced. The bride has been a frequent visitor here.

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LONG—CLOSE.—On Christmas Day, Mary C. Close of Hanover, and Harry S. Long of Littlestown, were married by Rev. S. P. Sanders. They will live in Littlestown.

Arendtsville's New School House.

The ninety pupils of Arendtsville home by Feb. 1 to be occupying the handsome school building which was begun last August and which is the finishing touches are now being put. The high school has been organized into a three year course and it is expected that one or more of the vocational courses can be added. The building is an attractive one, standing perhaps twelve feet back from the pavement edge, with terraces at the front. Concrete steps lead to the building. Entrance at the front is made through vestibuled double doors.

The structure is a two story brick, of the dimensions 38x70 feet. The first floor is composed of two large class rooms, two smaller cloak rooms, two book or library rooms, with a hallway of ample size to permit easy and rapid exit, in case of necessity.

The second floor is taken up with similar rooms to those on the first floor, while there is also a smaller recitation room occupying the equivalent space of the book or library rooms on the first floor in addition to two cloak rooms. The larger rooms occupy the east and west ends of either floor with entrance from the hall and through the cloak rooms. All of the rooms are well lighted and have excellent ventilation.

Changes at Post Office

The Gettysburg postoffice force has been reduced. Benton Gilbert, who has been delivering parcel post is dropped, Charles M. Bowers, sub-carrier, is delivering parcel post. F. Mark Bream, who has been clerk in the office since July will return to the delivery service. Henry Garlach becomes auxiliary carrier. The order for the changes became effective Jan. 1st. The money order and registered letter windows will close at 7 p. m. and there will be no delivery of carriers' mail after that hour in the evening.

New Year Death.

MRS. MARY E. HUNTER, widow of John Hunter, of Freedom township, died at the home of her niece, Miss Jennie Horner, Steinwehr avenue, on New Year's Day, in her 83rd year. She has been living the past 16 months with her niece. She was a daughter of Abram Waybright of Freedom township. Her husband died about 10 years ago. The funeral will be on Monday at 1 p. m., with interment in Evergreen Cemetery. She is survived by a brother and three sisters, Abram Waybright and Mrs. Harriet Rhodes of Freedom township, Mrs. Caroline Horner of Cumberland township, and Mrs. Jane White of Hutchison, Kan.

GEORGE W. CORWELL died in York on Tuesday in his 70th year. He was born in Franklin county, but lived for many years near Cashtown and fir last 20 years in York. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Nathaniel Lightner of this place, and Mrs. Amos Newman of Franklin township.

Doe Comes to Town.

A doe visited Gettysburg on New Year's morning, coming from the northwest, being first seen by L. H. Meals and then by Franklin Rudisill and other residents of the north end. After a brief stay she started westward over the fields of the brick plant. It has been many years since a doe has been seen within the borough limits, the last one to approach near the town was several years ago when one spent several weeks on the Bushman farm.

Directory of Adams County.

The Directory of Adams County, upon which the Wilmer Atkinson Co., publishers of "The Farm Journal," of Philadelphia, have been working for the past eight months, has come from the press, being received at this office the last day of 1914.

The Directory is a volume of 256 pages and on the cover is a picture of the Pennsylvania monument. There are over 150 pages of names, between 10,000 and 12,000 names practically all the homes in the county. Information is given about each individual with address, rural route, etc. The work from such review that we have been able to give has every indication of being carefully and thoroughly done. There are a number of Adams county illustrations, postoffice, court house, farms, orchards, etc. A large map of the county with all roads is given with the volume. It is the most complete directory of the county that has ever been issued.

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Gift to Pastor.

The Rev. T. C. Hesson, pastor of Zion Reformed Church of Arendtsville was presented on Christmas with a handsome quartered oak library table by the Fire Hearth Circle.

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Club Banquet.

The local College Club of Southern Pennsylvania held their annual banquet at Hotel Hanover, Hanover, Pa., Dec. 23, 1914. There were twenty girls present. Miss Edith Dorsey represented Gettysburg.

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Meeting of Threshermen.

Threshermen of Adams county will have a meeting in Court House on Tuesday, Jan. 5th, at 1 p. m., and all threshermen are urged to be present and all farmers interested in tax engine law are requested to attend.

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Marks Caught

Jesse Marks, charged with the forgery of name of Adam Kimmel, by which a horse was secured and also with the forgerey of name of Blair Cashman by which a buggy was obtained, has been caught at Tyrone, Pa. Marks was released from Huntingdo Reformatory last July.

PERSONALLY CONDUCTED

ALONG THE LINES OF INDIVIDUAL HAPPENINGS

Comings and Goings, Social Events and Other Items of Interest.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trump of Montclaire, N. J., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Wm. Bream.

—Mrs. Ed. J. Pfeffer and daughter, Miss Helen Pfeger, were visitors in Philadelphia, this week.

—Mrs. Josie Culp and Miss Helen Culp spent several days this week with friends in Hanover.

—Mrs. Franklin E. Taylor is visiting her sister, Miss White, at Markleton, Pa.

—Mrs. Joseph Arnold and children of Bendersville spent this week at the home of Mrs. J. O. Blocher on Seminary Ridge.

—Prof. H. D. Lighty of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., spent part of the holiday vacation as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Spangler.

—Mrs. Harry Oyler visited relatives in Pottsville over New Year.

—We were glad to have a letter from Mr. John B. Fantini on Christmas. Mr. Fantini is well remembered by the many friends he made here while superintending the work on the Federal Building. Since leaving here he has been the superintendent in charge on several large contracts, the last one being the new Sacrd Heart Church at Monticello, Ia., recently completed at a cost of $50,000.

—Miss Ruth Annan of Beloit, Kan., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. H. Huber.

—Miss Lena Mertz is visiting at the home of her brother, Adam Mertz, in Wilmington, Del.

—Corporal Jesse Sheaffer, formerly of York Springs, has has re-enlisted in the U. S. Marines and sailed for China. He has spent eight years in the service.

—Rev. D. Frank Garland, Director of Public Welfare, Dayton, Ohio, has been spending a 16 day vacation in going over Sherman's march to the sea, the route his father covered as a soldier in 1864.

—Miss Caroline Bream of Philadelphia, Miss Margaret Bream of Jenkintown, and Herbert Bream of Buffalo, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Bream.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Stahle are spending ten days with Mr and Mrs. Cloud in Germantown, Pa.

—Miss Margaret Gilliland of Georgetown, Del., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilliland.

—Rev. and Mrs E. A. Chamberlin and son have returned to their home in Buckhorn after a weeks visit with Mr and Mrs. Charles E. Speese.

—Mrs. Joseph T. Bayly of Westfield, N. J., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Baker.

—Miss Anna Hake of Tyrone is spending the Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hake, on West Middle street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Oyler and child have returned to Mifflin after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Oyler on East Middle street.

—Miss Martha McPherson of Franklin, Pa., spent several days this week as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Topper.

—Miss Mary Kahler has returned to her home in York after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Shields on York street. Miss Kahler is an instructor in Domestic Science in the public schools of Atlantic City, N. J.

—Anthony Deardorff of York Springs visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wm. Beales this week, before starting for Jacksonville, Fla., where he will spend the winter months.

—The St. James Sunday School at its Christmas exercises, presented Rev. J. B. Baker and family with a purse of $62.50 in gold as a holiday gift.

—The students of the Domestic Science Department of the High School gave a luncheon to the faculty on the closing day of school at the Christmas recess. A delicious menu was prepared and served entirely by the girls and dainty hand-made baskets filled with candies were given as favors to each guest.

—The employes of the Gettysburg Light and the Gettysburg Transit Companies were each presented with a five dollar gold piece and also other remembrances by the management on Christmas.

—W. W. Bell of East Middle street received a painful scald when a kettle of boiling water was accidentally upset over his foot. The accident happened at the home of Jacob Taughenbaugh in Hunterstown.

—Clinton Beard of North Washington street has gone to Niagara Falls where he has accepted a position as chemist with the American Graphite Co.

—The employees of the Reaser and Gettysburg Furniture Factories presented C. S. Reaser, the general manager, with a handsome Morris chair, a rocking chair, a box of oranges and other gifts as a Christmas remembrance. The presentation speech was made by Robert Currens.

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Philip Bittinger, who has been ill during the last few weeks, extends his sincere thanks to his kind neighbors who came and sawed his fire wood.

Several days ago Dorsey Lower slipped on the icy pavement and fell and broke one of the bones in his right leg near the ankle. Dr. Merriman set the fracture.

Miss Ruth Koser of Pittsburgh and her sister Miss Vida of Mechanicsburg, are home to spend the holidays with their parents, Rev. D. T. and Mrs Koser.

Paul D. Wierman and Edwin A. Roberts, who are students at the Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, are home for the Christmas season.

Clyde H. Lady, who has spent the past several months in New York City is home for the hollidays.

Messrs. Roy and Mark Kane are spending Christmas with their grandmother and other relatives in Pittsburgh. P.

Emmitsburg Road.

It is to be hoped that one of the first state highways to be completed from Gettysburg will be to Emmitsburg. Maryland has built a fine highway from Emmitsburg to Frederick and the State Roads Commisison of Maryland is now asking for bids for a macadam road of 1.40 miles from Emmitsburg to the Pennsylvania line. With that portion built and the portion through the battlefield, the remainder of road to be built is between 5 and 6 miles.

The State Highway Department recently issued a map of all state highways and the Emmitsburg road was not so marked. An inquiry of the Department revealed the fact that while the Act of 1913 created the Emmitsburg road as a state highway that the road has not been formally taken over by the department and that means that no work has been done on it by the State.

As the Governors of Maryland and Pennsylvania agreed that the Emmitsburg road should be built, good faith to such agreement should urge the building of this road in 1915.

Cattle Disease.

Dr. C. J. Marshall, state veterinarian, at Fruit Growers' convention in Bendersville last week, expressed the hope that the quarantine for the hoof and mouth disease will be lifted within the next two weeks, but is was dependent upon no further outbreak.

The finding last week of an outbreak in herd of John E. Amspacher on the farm of George D. Kindig, of near Littlestown, may have the effect of a little further delay. On the Kindig farm 13 cattle and 14 hogs were condemned.

When the cattle were killed a moving picture film was made of the killing and the disposal, and the film will be reproduced in this section.

Prohibition Predicted in Five Years

The days of "John Barleycorn" in the United States are numbered; his back is against the wall in a losing fight against outraged American manhood and womanhood, and, at the most the death blow will be dealt in the form of national prohibition in five years.

This is the substance of the message brought east by the famous Flying Squadron, which is conducting a campaign to enlist supporters in the fight for national prohibition. A score of prominent men and women, headed by the ex-Governor of a western State comprises the force which is making a whirlwind tour over the entire country. Since last September the squadron has been working east from the Pacific coast and the recent prohibition landslides in several of the western States are attributed largely to its crusade.

County Spelling Bee.

County Superintendent H. Milton Roth is at work completing a list of one thousand words for the county spelling bee which will likely be held in Gettysburg some time in March. The list will contain none of the words used last year, will contain no words which can be spelled more than one way correctly, and will be based on the spelling used in Webster's International Dictionary. The words will be considerably more difficult, taken as a whole, than those in the first list and the percentage is raised from 95 to 98 so that it is not likely so many will qualify for the final test at the Court House. The list will be distributed early in the year so that the scholars will likely have as many as ten weeks to prepare for the district tests.

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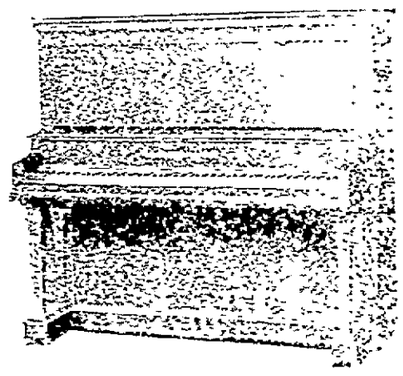

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ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Citizens' Trust Company of Gettysburg that an election of [illegible] directors to serve for one year will be held at the banking house of said corporation in Gettysburg on MONDAY, JAN. 11, 1915, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.

R. WM. BREAM, Trustee.

ELECTION NOTICE

An election for eleven members of the Adams County Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at the office of the Company in Gettysburg on MONDAY, JAN. 4, 1915, between the hours of 1 and 2 p. m. The Executive Committee will meet at 10 o'clock a. m., on the same day.

CHAS. W. STOCK, Act. Sec.

LICENSE

The following applications for liquor license have been filed in my office with the requisite number of signers, and will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County, on FRIDAY, the 8th day of JANUARY, 1915:

TAVERN.

Chas. R. Altland, Abbottstown Bor.
George Kuipper, Arendtsville Bor.
Aaron Schlosser, Biglerville Bor.
Frank Bausman, Bendersville Bor.
Walter J. Kunkel, East Berlin Bor.
R. E. Sprenkle, East Berlin Bor.
Geo. J. Kebil, Fairfield Bor.
Henry Scharf, Gettysburg, 1st Ward.
John F. Walter, Gettysburg, 1st Ward.
Frank Eberhart, Gettysburg, 2d Ward.
Peter Bruner, Gettysburg, 2d Ward.
Oliver Klinefelter, Gettysburg, 2d Ward.
Jesse McGreggor, Gettysburg, 3d Ward
Mrs. Elise Braunreuter, Gettysburg, 3d Ward.
Mrs. Mary M. Riffle, Littlestown Bor.
John D. Mayers, Littlestown Bor.
Robert Godirey, Littlestown Bor.
Howard J. Mummert, McSherrystown Bor.
Joseph F. Eline, McSherrystown Bor.
C. S. Weaver, McSherrystown Bor.
Chas. T. Hersh, New Oxford Bor.
Geo. F. Grove, New Oxford Bor.
Chas. A. Hamilton, York Springs Bor.
Abner B. Kump, Franklin Twp.
Frank G. Hemler, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
Chas. Strausbaugh, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
S. V. Bushman, Reading Twp.
Frank McThomas, Straban Twp.
John Robertson, Cumberland Twp.

RESTAURANTS.

Peter P. Eisenhart, East Berlin Bor.
Geo. T. Hartzell, Gettysburg Bor., 2d Ward.
Rudolph J. Tuckis, McSherrystown, 2d Ward.
B. H. Uline, McSherrystown, 1st Ward.

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Gettysburg Bor., 1st Ward, John Kimmel.

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Theo. Kline, Mgr., Gettysburg Bor., 2d Ward.

The places for which the above applications for license have been made are the same as residence of applicants.

Licenses forfeited if not lifted within fifteen days after the day of granting. Upon such neglect the persons selling after the expiration of the fifteen days shall be liable to prosecution and conviction as fully and effectually as if no license had been granted.

WM. E. OLINGER,
Clerk. Q. S.

Proclamation

To the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables in the different Boroughs and Townships in the County of Adams—Greetings:

KNOW YE, that in pursuance of a precept to me directed under the hand and seal of the Honorable S. McC. Swope, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the 51st Judicial District, consisting of the Counties of Adams and Fulton, and by virtue of his office or the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of Capital and other offenders therein, and in the General Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and W. Howard Dicks and Leo Sneeringer, Esqs., Judges of the same County of Adams. You and each of you are hereby required to be and appear in your own proper persons with your Records, Recognizances, Examinations and other remembrances, before the Judges aforesaid, at Gettysburg, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace therein to be holden in the County of Adams aforesaid on the fourth Monday of January next, it being the 25th day at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day then and there to do those things to which your several offices appertain.

SEAL. GIVEN under my hand at Gettysburg on the 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

G. R. THOMPSON, Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Peter Myers late of Reading township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

ALICE E. MYERS,
Administratrix.
Hampton, Pa.

Or her attorneys.
Wm. & Wm. Arch. McClean.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the policy holders of the Gettysburg Mutual Fire Insurance Company for the purpose of electing sixteen managers for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it, will be held on MONDAY, JAN. 11, 1915, at [illegible] o'clock a. m. at the office of the Company [illegible]

W. D. KAUFFMAN

ELECTION NOTICE

[illegible] SATURDAY, JAN. [illegible]

D. H. MILLER

ELECTION NOTICE

An election for [illegible] Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at the office of the Company in Gettysburg on SATURDAY, JAN. 2, 1915, between the hours of 12 m. and 2 p. m.

J. F. HARTMAN, Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the First National Bank of Gettysburg that an election of eight directors to serve one year, will be held at their banking house on TUESDAY, JAN. 12, 1915, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m.

J. E. MUSSELMAN, Cashier

WHAT SWANSON DID

By J. R. STAFFORD.

(Copyright.)

Swanson was fired at the bunk-house on the section bossed by "Old McQuirk" after he had used a spike-maul handle with telling effect on the heads and bodies of the five Italians who, with him and with McQuirk, made up the section-gang. And McQuirk, who knew he would miss this solemn-eyed and big-shouldered youth from the Northland, and who loved him, too, for all he had half killed the gang, dismissed him sadly with a few well-chosen words:

"Anny mon, Swanson, that has that smaal an intillict that he caan take the shirt aff 'is back widout havin' to onbutton the collar av it is a bad mon to be runnin' amuck wid the handle of a maul. An' I'm sorry to lose the like av yez, Swanson, but, faith, an' yez don't mix wid dagoes, an' dagoes is aal there is in this domned counthry, so yez betther go aff, Swanson, an' cultivate that same intillict, an' whin yez think yez caan come back an' bay a paceable mon, thin O'll give yez a tip where yez caan git yez a job.

"But it won't be here, Swanson—it'll be over the Rio Grande, wi' me frind Po Rerpo Diaz, the prisidint of Mexico, is nadin' a new spacies of poliss.men. Yez baad betther clear out, now, Swanson, for Oi maay not hear from the prisidint for some toime."

And Swanson, who did not understand exactly what McQuirk was driving at, did know for a certainty that he was fired, and that there was no help for it, and that there would be no use of his hanging around in the hope of getting taken back again, went into the bunk-house and crammed his few belongings into the little gray cloth bag that he had brought from Sweden with him.

Also, he got the few dollars coming to him for the time since last pay-day, and bidding the section-boss' wife good-by, while great tears stood in his eyes, trudged away up the track, bent on reaching the siding 14 miles up the grade, from which the Red Horse mine got its supplies of grub and powder.

Up there Swanson reasoned that he might find work, for he had been in the mines back in the old country, and would be a miner yet only that he had grown afraid of dynamite after the missed hole went off and killed his brother at his side.

It was noon when he reached the Red Horse. Through a friendly fellow countryman who was on the night-shift he learned that there was no work to be had; every place was full, and the mine would not run much longer unless powder came. Swanson shivered at the mention of the stuff.

They talked of the Northland—the home country—and the heart of Swanson melted within him and homesickness so filled him that tears came into his eyes and sobs gripped him by the throat.

After the pang of homesickness had left him he still sat there. For in a little time, now, the east-bound freight would be along, and perhaps he would see the good-natured brakeman who always threw coal at him playfully as the train passed the section-gang.

After the freight had passed it would only be a little while until the east-bound express, drawn by two powerful locomotives, would come snorting up the heavy grade.

In due time the freight announced itself and came dragging up the steep ascent. There were no ore-cars in the train, and Swanson wondered why it was that a brakeman got off the end and ran forward to open the switch ahead of the engine. This soon became apparent to him. For as soon as the switch was opened there came the pop of an air-pipe uncoupled and the hissing of air and grinding of brakes.

Then the engine ran in on the switch, dragging eight cars. Halfway up the siding they stopped. The brakeman ran past him and chocked the trucks of the last car with bowlders, and then, climbing up, set the hand-brakes. After that there were more sounds of uncoupling, and then the engine pulled out, leaving the last car. The brakeman threw over the switch and locked it. It was Swanson's brakeman, for he was in such a hurry that he [illegible] to the Swede.

Swanson [illegible] the sound [illegible] the [illegible] of a [illegible] the [illegible] He [illegible] the [illegible] right hand.

Swanson's [illegible] as he got to his feet. He looked at the [illegible] by the uplifted sledge. He stooped for a stone, but at that instant he saw the sledge descending. He sprang forward, and it was only the handle that struck him on the head. He was dazed by the shock, but beat his antagonist down with heavy blows, and knelt upon him.

Suddenly there was the sound of loosened brakes, and next the slow bump of a loaded car moving. He looked up, and there, just where the car had stood, were two men shaking their fists at him but the car was slowly coming down toward him. Of a sudden he realized what it all meant; these were men who had been discharged. They wanted to have the dynamite blow itself up on the track, and so get even.

He had the charity to believe that they did not think of the possible consequence to the express.

Suddenly his imagination filled with a sickening spectacle. A passenger train smashed all to bits, the smell of dynamite and fire, and of burning wood and burning flesh! Dead people everywhere along the right of way!

He struck his fallen foe a sharp blow across the head with the sledge, and with an awful sense of fear and horror he caught the side ladder of the passing car, and with the sledge still in his hand, swung himself aboard. He hurriedly clambered up and sticking the sledge under the foot-deck tried to set the brakes as he had so often seen the brakeman do.

The wheel spun around easily, but it seemed to have nothing at the bottom of it. The car was now bumping merrily along, like an irresponsible calf broken from its yard. He ran back to the rear end, and stopped there irresolutely.

Swanson's first impulse was to leap from the car, but the ground below was flying back very fast now. He saw that he had done a very foolish thing in getting aboard.

He looked down at the flying earth beneath and at the ragged blur of rock and cacti rushing by. To leap meant certain death! To ride on meant death in the explosion that must come when the flying car should dash against the engine!

As his eye roved down the flying track and back to the car again the glint of the sun on the face of the drill-hammer arrested his attention. He looked at it. It was an ordinary eight-pound sledge, and a plan like an inspiration came to him—a plan not to save his own life, for he looked upon that as lost, but to save the train below him.

He hurried to the forward end and peered over. Like a narrow ledge, barely as wide as the sole of his heavy shoe, hung the forward brake-beam, and down to that led the iron rod of the brake-staff. He looked only for a moment, nodded his head confidently, and reaching back for the sledge, gripped it firmly and slid down the rod. His feet touched the swaying brake-beam, and he exulted in the cunning of his plan.

The wind whistled in his ears and drove his long yellow hair into his eyes. The jolting jerks seemed always about to throw him off. He waited, for it needed a curve to make his plan effective. Suddenly his eye caught the coveted curve barely a hundred yards away.

Just at the middle of the turn he thrust the maul-head down on the flying rail just forward of the wheel. There was a sudden, tremendous jerk; he had a feeling of being thrown a mile, and that was all!

Afterward, when the crew of the express came up to find out whether it was an earthquake or a volcano that had broken loose and disarranged the landscape, they found him lying in the middle of the right of way, thrown there by a strange trick of fate, while the box car, with its deadly cargo, had been hurled clear into the canyon below.

They poured water on his head and listened to his story. Then they took him with them to the end of the run.

When the superintendent heard his tale and found that it was really true he asked him what he could do to "square" the business. Swanson, whose mind was simple, and who still feared mines and dynamite, made answer:

"Ay tank Ay like to go back to Meester McQuirk. Ay tank hay might haaer from his frand by dis tame."

So, he went back, and McQuirk shook him by the hand and put heart and hope into him with a few more well-chosen words:

"Swanson, yez have no more intillict than a jack-rabbit, although yez have improved it, but yez do be havin' an amazin' intilligince now, an' there's no denyin' it. Oi have changed the moind of me about yez, an' me frind the prisidint of the Raypublic of Mexico will have to take a back sate onti the prisidint of this railroad caan have a thry for yez.

"Swanson, be gobs, yez caan hav yer job back if yez kill aal the dagoes on the division."

NOT WISDOM TO FOLLOW POE

Gifted Author's Course of Reading Hardly One to Commend Itself to All.

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CONCRETE AND SEA WATER

Interesting Experiments Made to Determine the Action of Liquid and Frost on Material.

One of the largest construction companies in this country is making experiments to determine what is the action of sea water and frost upon concrete. According to Science Conspectus, the company made 24 columns, each 16 feet long and 16 inches square, reinforced with iron bars near their corners and in January, 1909, immersed them in the water at the Boston navy yard. At high tide the water almost entirely covers them, but at low tide they are completely exposed. Thus in cold weather the columns are alternately thawed and frozen, as the tide rises and falls. The columns are made with various qualities of concrete—mixed dry, plastic, and very wet—and also with different qualities of cement. Experts are studying the effects of the addition of waterproofing materials; clay and other substances are added from time to time, and the effect is observed. Many years must elapse before it will be possible to tell with certainty which kind of concrete is most permanent. When last examined many of the columns were virtually unaffected; but others were badly eroded. The columns that contain the largest proportion of cement mixed wet have so far shown the least wear. Of two columns made with one part of cement to one of sand and two of stone, the one mixed dry was badly eroded over its entire length, whereas the other, which was mixed very wet, was only slightly pitted. The experiments, it is expected, will throw much light upon a problem that has long perplexed construction engineers.—Youth's Companion.

BROUGHT TO SINGLE SHEET

War's Effect on European Newspapers Is Manifest in the Size of the Issues.

No one can have failed to observe how greatly the size of his daily paper has dwindled, how, in fact, everything which entails the consumption of paper exhibits a strict ecoonmy. This is owing to the shortage of paper due to the war, and it is quite possible that if the war lasts for any considerable time practically all English daily papers will consist of a single sheet. Already this step has been necessitated in France.

Some 15,000 tons of news and white paper in reel made from wood pulp are consumed each week in this country. Already the consumption has risen 25 per cent owing to the abnormal demand for war news—it would certainly have been greater were it not for the curtailment in size. Most of the paper used in England—about 11,500 tons—is manufactured in this country, but about 2,600 tons comes each week from the continent and 900 tons from Newfoundland.

The former source has already completely dried up, the immediate result being to send up the price of paper which before the outbreak of the war was about one penny a pound to 1¾ pence. And it will probably rise much higher.—English Exchange.

Helpfulness Sometimes Resented.

Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson's "Passing of the Third Floor Back" made a deep and lasting impression on Kansas City. It stimulates a fine desire to be more charitable and kindly. "We remember," writes Franklin P. Adams of New York, "the morning after seeing 'The Passing of the Third Floor Back,' we felt more than usually unworthy, and spiritual reform was working in our enclosed heart. A young woman, carrying an achingly heavy suitcase was walking up the subway stairs. [illegible] —Kansas City Star.

Birds Fly From Battle.

One of [illegible] has noted the complete absence of birds from the battlefields of northern France and the consequent profusion of spiders and other cognate crawling things. Birds always desert scenes of heavy gunfire; and, what is more, they often do not return for many years. All birds left the theater of war in South Africa, and it is only now—14 years later—that they are returning. Meanwhile South Africa has suffered from a vexatious plague of ground insects—"tecks," as they call them over there. It is not supposed that the African birds left the country, but that they merely retired to some remote and peaceful part of the veldt.

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AT LANTANA STATION

By A. WEINSTOCK.

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Ferguson had been at Lantana less than a week when he made his first vigorous roar to the chief dispatcher for relief. The solitude and isolation were making him a nervous wreck, he complained: and if relief were not forthcoming mighty quickly, they would have to remove him from the station in a strait-jacket. The chief dispatcher treated the matter facetiously, but promised Ferguson a more congenial assignment as soon as a vacancy occurred.

Lantana, on the International, Shoshone & Gulf railroad, was a box-car station perched among the clouds of the Declez range. To the esthetic the view from Lantana was soul-satisfying. Snow peaks were transformed by the alchemy of the morning sun into an effulgent glare of towers and minarets, and leagues upon leagues of steep declivity merged into fir-covered slopes that sank away into the haze and were lost to sight in the lower world. Ferguson was not esthetic, and to him Lantana was desolation, loneliness, a foretaste of perdition and the place that God forgot.

Ferguson was the product of a metropolis. For him all that was great and good and beautiful in the universe—all that he thought worth striving for—was to be found in New York.

The raging medley of incessant sound that assailed the senses of an outlander in a great city was sweetest music in his ears, and the bewildering kaleidoscope of motion in the busy streets was as the painter's masterpiece to him. He longed for it with an aching heart, and his brain rebelled at the magnificent distances of the Declez range.

Ferguson's social instinct was highly developed. He lived for and in companionship. In his happier days his friends had dined with him, and his cronies had smoked his cigars. There was no wife or babies, and the affection men usually bestow on their families Ferguson showered upon his friends.

But at Lantana Ferguson had no friends. There were no restaurants, no saloons, no hotels, no theaters. There was nothing; only a box car, in one corner of which he slept; in another was the sheet-iron stove on which he cooked his meals, and in the center of the car was a table to which was attached the telegraph equipment. Over all was spread a thick layer of dust, and suspended from the ceiling were weird festoons of cobwebs.

With picturesque and fluent profanity Ferguson cursed his environment. With added fervor he cursed the circumstances that had driven him to Lantana. And finally, with a vigor that jarred his box-car home, he cursed the telegraph company, which he blamed for his misfortune.

For one-half of the 45 years of his life he had served them faithfully. Then the fate which overtakes so many telegraphers befell him. His fingers lost their cunning, and he could no longer form the Morse characters with speed and accuracy.

From continuous use, the delicate muscles of the fingers and wrist had become paralyzed. He lost his grip, and the telegraph company dispensed with his services.

Starvation in New York, or a job at Lantana! Which should it be? He had chosen Lantana. And now this product of the complex life, this hothouse plant whose fibers and tendrils were intertwined among the surging hordes of humanity in a great city, was transplanted to a harsh and primitive soil, and was suffering a withering blight in consequence.

Ferguson vainly regretted his choice. Starvation in New York would have been the very apex of delight in contrast to the oppressive silence, the vastness and the emptiness of Lantana.

Ferguson prepared his own meals, the one indispensable utensil being a can-opener; he cleaned the dishes and dried them in the sun, washed his own clothes, mended socks, smoothed the blankets on his bed, and swept the floor. Then, in a wild passion, he revolted at the blacking of his own boots, and calling up the chief dispatcher, demanded immediate relief.

"Ferguson insists upon being relieved," reported the chief dispatcher to Division Superintendent Jenkins. "He nags at me from early morning until late at night. I suggest sending him relief, if—"

"Do you think Ferguson will desert his post?" interrupted the superintendent.

"Oh, no," said the chief dispatcher. "He's too [illegible] to pay a track walker that [illegible] stay until we [illegible] no matter how much he [illegible] Lantana."

"Well," growled the superintendent, "we can't relieve him just now."

On the International, Shoshone & Gulf, between Lardeau and Lantana, and about a quarter of a mile from the latter place, was a sharp curve in the road at a point which an enthusiastic tourist, inspired by the beauty of the view, had named Gabriel's Balcony. The rough and unfeeling trainmen on the mountain division ridiculed the mellifluous title—and accepted it.

On the left of the track beetling cliffs arose abruptly. On the right, and only a few yards from the rails, was an almost perpendicular declivity of 40 feet emerging into a slope that sank away as steep as the roof of a house until it disappeared in the hazy distance far below.

On the downgrade every engineer took the curve at Gabriel's balcony respectfully and prayerfully, with his brakes clinched and his soul in his eyes.

Ferguson's duties at Lantana were not onerous, and he wandered up and down the track in search of some slight occupation as an antidote for the poison of homesickness coursing through his veins. His first view from Gabriel's Balcony fascinated him.

Almost unconsciously he picked up a rock and dropped it from the edge of the precipice. It thudded against the rocky slope after its 40-foot drop, bounded, rolled and rebounded on its swift journey, gaining velocity as it progressed, until it darted out of sight far below.

"That's great," murmured Ferguson.

As the days passed, the fascination of Gabriel's Balcony strengthened and, with its growth, Ferguson's desire to leave Lantana diminished. His entreaties for relief ceased, for which the chief dispatcher was duly grateful.

All the time that could be spared from his trifling duties at the station was spent at Gabriel's Balcony. To hurl rocks from the brink of the precipice developed into a mania. Like morphine, the dose must be taken in ever-increasing quantities to satisfy the craving.

The sight of small rocks diving down the incline was no longer satisfying to Ferguson. Each rock must be larger than its predecessor. Bowlders that taxed his strength to the utmost to poise on the edge of the precipice were sent crashing down the slope, followed by satellites of slate and earth they had loosened in their flight.

Ferguson wondered vaguely whither these rushing boulders hastened so eagerly, and meant some day to mount a massive rock and journey down with it, to learn their destination.

And one day there came the Voice just as Ferguson had started a monstrous rock down the incline.

"What if that had been the Eagle Limited?" the Voice suggested.

"What's that?" asked Ferguson, not comprehending.

No answer. Ferguson glanced up and down the track. There was no one in sight.

"Huh!" said Ferguson. "Mighty funny," and resumed his absorbing occupation.

As he sent another sphere of granite catapulting from the Balcony, Ferguson heard the voice again. "What if that had been the Eagle Limited?"

With eyes staring at the fast vanishing rock, he answered: "Yes, that would be exciting."

It was a friendly Voice, and it often came to cheer his heartrending loneliness. Ferguson pleaded with it to stay and share his quarters in the box car.

And the Voice knew New York—his New York—and soon a bond of eternal brotherhood was sealed with tears of joy on Ferguson's part for the presence of this unexpected comrade in the wilderness.

Not many days after the Voice had first made its presence known, it spoke long and earnestly to Ferguson, and as he harkened, the light of wild anticipation gleamed in his eyes.

From under the couch in the corner he drew a crowbar, wrench, and sledgehammer. These he carried to Gabriel's Balcony, and, according as the Voice commanded, he wielded the tools, singing as he toiled.

When the work was done, the Voice and Ferguson waited impatiently. The Limited came to its fate with no warning. From the verge of Gabriel's Balcony it plunged, coach trailing coach. Rocks and earth detached from the precipice pursued it as it fell.

Down the steep incline rolled twisted metal and splintered timbers, enshrouded in an ever-swelling mass of rock and soil. It grew into a roaring avalanche, and as it struck the timbered slope it added trees of century growth to its appalling bulk.

It was no mean death that Ferguson had wrought for passengers and crew, and no man may say, in truth, where they found sepulcher.

At Gradyville, Superintendent Jenkins ordered out the wrecking train. The Limited had left Rawdon on time, but was hours overdue at Lantana, and repeated efforts to gain a response from Ferguson were fruitless.

The wrecking crew found Ferguson seated on a huge bowlder where the L., S. and G. track made the turn at Gabriel's Balcony, gibbering incoherently. The impalpable spirit of the mountain, the immensity of space, had crushed him with its mystery.

It was the fertile imagination of Superintendent Jenkins that evolved the landslide theory for newspaper consumption, to account for the absolute disappearance of the Eagle Limited. Jenkins knew nothing, dating from a fish-pond, a spur to the manufacturer of [illegible] Wall street, from the company's [illegible] track around the debris of a wreck to the [illegible] for the reporters, and he [illegible] the situation with [illegible] success.

And the Voice came no more to Ferguson.

Probable First Use of Mortar.

The use of lime as binding material for mortar originated in the remote past. It is probable that some savages when using limestone rocks to confine their fire noticed that the stones were changed by the action of the heat. A passing shower may have slaked the lime to a paste, and they discovered that the paste was smooth and sticky and was a better material than clay to fill the crevices in their rude dwellings. From this discovery it was but a step to add sand to the paste in order to produce a mortar.

SAVED TRAIN BY SAFETY PIN

New-Fangled Gown Caused Something of a Confusion at New York Dance.

One of those new-fangled trains became unswitched at a recent dance at the Claridge, according to the New York Times, and when the owner discovered her loss she and the man at the hotel desk had a lot of trouble. It seems that the new train is made so that it can be worn or not worn, just as the owner of the freak to which it belongs fancies. When her friends expressed their admiration of Mrs. Camille Roe's new frock, all went merry as a marriage bell until one of these friends became so enthusiastic over the way Mrs. Roe managed her new train that the latter drew out of the dance to explain.

"You see, it is like this," she began, catching at her skirt. She caught in vain. There was nothing but the skirt. The train had left the station. After a hurried search about the room, Mrs. Roe went out to see if the train had arrived at the desk.

"I've lost my train," she announced, somewhat breathlessly.

The clerk immediately got out his train guide. He thought she was a commuter who had overstayed her time limit in town, and that she wished to catch a later train.

"New Haven or New York Central, ma'am?" he inquired, sympathetically, as he hurriedly turned over the leaves.

The lady explained. The clerk rummaged among the things under the counter. "Nothing like a train here, ma'am," he reported. "The only thing we have is a girdle that the assistant manager picked up and turned in here a little while ago." He held it up. It was the train Mrs. Roe had missed. Pretty soon it was flying through a one-step, but its ordinary couplings had been re-enforced with small safety pins.

RISKS OF RED CROSS WORK

Doctors Who Operate on the Field Under Fire Require Nerves That Are Steady.

In the fighting area Red Cross workers are running greater risks than they have ever done in past campaigns. Those who succor the wounded do not now wait until the end of a battle before they commence their humane work, neither do they remain in safety some distance at the rear. The numbers of the wounded in modern battle are too great for that, and assistance must be given to them on the battlefield itself, with shot and shell whistling around. Surgeons now make their way along the trenches under heavy fire, carrying small surgical cases which contain a number of absolutely necessary medicines. These include pain-killing drugs, such as morphine, antiseptics and syringes. On the wounded soldier himself a first-aid outfit can be found, as every military man carries in his knapsack a little packet of antiseptic gauze and a roll of bandages. The surgeon makes his patient as comfortable as possible and, if he can, drags him to a point where the bursting shells are not likely to injure him. Then, on his hands and knees, the plucky worker makes his way along the rows of dead and wounded, taking as many, if not more, risks than the "Tommies" themselves.

Of course, working under such trying conditions the surgeon cannot do all he would wish for the wounded. By means of injections from his hypodermic syringe he temporarily alleviates their pain, and in serious cases stops bleeding by tightly knotted bandages placed round the injured limb, while broken bones he puts in a "splint," provided, in many instances, by the stricken soldier's bayonet.

An Institute of Agriculture.

More scientific farming resulting in lower food prices in cities is the avowed object of the free institute of agriculture which has been in progress in New York city throughout 20 weeks of the present year. The institution depends upon co-operation between the national department of agriculture, Columbia university and the New York state department of agriculture. It is intended that persons who intend to go into farming shall be better prepared for this purpose, while those who are not fitted for that occupation may be deterred from attempting it. It is also the hope that abandoned farms near the city may be subjected to proper development.

Saving the Babies.

A recent mayor of [illegible] offered one pound to every [illegible] who brought to him a [illegible] of a certain weight, and [illegible] was that a great many babies [illegible] to die [illegible]. The [illegible] the [illegible] year [illegible] up [illegible] In [illegible] and [illegible] at a [illegible] age was an enormous [illegible]—The Living Church.

In Your Own Home Town.

Your preacher talks to you about the sin in the great cities and your heart is heavy with sorrow at the thought of wrong and suffering. You may feel called upon to spend your time and money preparing baskets and barrels of Christmas goodies to be sent to some of the miserable, with whom, thank goodness, you do not have to come in contact. But please don't forget that there's a devil in your own home town.—Kansas Industrialist.

List of Jurors

List of Grand Jurors drawn December 19, 1914, for the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery to be held at Gettysburg in and for the County of Adams the fourth Monday of January A. D., 1915.

GRAND JURORS.

Baker, Noah, farmer, Hamilton Twp.
Bender, J. C., farmer, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
Black, Charles W., farmer, Mt. Joy Twp.
Bushey, Elmer L., blacksmith, Latimore Twp.
Deatrick, Curtis, farmer, Reading Twp.
Diehl, Levi J., carpenter, Gettysburg 1st Ward.
Eichelberger, W. E., painter, Tyrone Twp.
Eppley, J. J., farmer, Mt. Joy Twp.
Hefner, J. B., miller, Highland Twp.
Hoffman, Elias, farmer, Menallen Twp.
Huber, Prof. Chas., professor, Gettysburg, 1st Ward.
Kindig, John, farmer, Union Twp.
Low, J. Harry, J. P., Fairfield Bor.
Lower, Calvin T., agent, Franklin Twp
Mumper, Jacob I., farmer, Gettysburg 1st Ward.
Myers, Harry, farmer, Germany Twp.
Miller, Benjamin, farmer, Huntington Twp.
Philips, H. A., farmer, Union Twp.
Plank, Emory, plumber, Gettysburg, 1st Ward.
Rebert, Charles, farmer, Franklin Twp.
Sanders, H. C., clerk, Biglerville Bor.
Sheely, D. M., farmer, Franklin Twp.
Stoner, Charles, farmer, Conowago Twp.
Smith, Walter H., farmer, Liberty Twp.

PETIT JURORS.

List of Petit Jurors drawn December 19, 1914, for the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery to be held at Gettysburg in and for the County of Adams the fourth Monday of January A. D., 1915.

Asper, D. C., Tile Company, Menallen Twp.
Baughman, Edward, farmer, Germany Twp.
Benchoff, Charles, farmer, Freedom Twp.
Bream, Jeff., farmer, Menallen Twp.
Bixler, Claude, agent, Littlestown Bor.
Chronister, Edward, farmer, Hamilton Twp.
Hartzell, Benjamin F., blacksmith, Franklin Twp.
Hayberger, William H., farmer, Menallen Twp.
Heckenluver, Hanson, laborer, Arendtsville Bor.
Hornberger, John, cigarmaker, Littlestown Bor.
Homan, Theadore, shoemaker, Gettysburg, 2d Ward.
Hollinger, Rev. Albert, produce, Cumberland Twp.
Hoffeins, Michael, pump maker, Hamilton Twp.
Kennedy, Thomas, farmer, Menallen Twp.
Krug, Daniel, farmer, Oxford Twp.
Lochbaum, Albert M., farmer, Franklin Twp.
Mackley, Dr. U. L., veterinarian, Littlestown Bor.
Miller, Andrew, farmer, Huntington Twp.
Mickley, D. A., gent, Franklin Twp.
Moore, Henry J., bricklayer, Hamilton Twp.
McCollough, James, farmer, Cumberland Twp.
Nickey, Byron L., farmer, Reading Twp.
Nixon, H. B., Prof., Gettysburg, 2nd Ward.
Noel, Calvin, farmer, Mt. Pleasant Twp.
Overbaugh, Jerome, cigarmaker, McSherrystown 1st Ward.
Peters, Herny, constable, Fairfield Bor.
Pittenturff, Harry J., shoe cutter, New Oxford Bor.
Renner, David, farmer, Germany Twp.
Shull, Robert H., farmer, Franklin Twp.
Slonaker, Franklin, janitor, Gettysburg 1st Ward.
Smith, A. J., tinner, Gettysburg, 1st Ward.
Smith, Harry J., farmer, Conowago Twp.
Stahley, Edward B., farmer, Straban Twp.
Stover, E. Cecil, teacher, Arendtsville Bor.
Twisden, F. B., farmer, Cumberland Twp.
Willis, John, gent, Gettysburg, 3rd Ward.
Wagaman, Harry D., farmer, Liberty Twp.
Long, Adam, farmer, Mt. Pleasant Twp

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Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Si- Horner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey aus, and son of Silver Run, Md., Mr. nd Mrs. M. R. Snyder and daughter nelia, of Harney, Md., Mr. and Mrs. B. McIlhenny and daughter Mabelle Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. rowa of York, Mr. and Mrs. McIlhenr of near Gettysburg, Mrs. Geo. Hoffa of Littlestown, Miss Estella Hoyer of Lynchburg, Va., Miss Ruth er of Bristol, Tenn., Miss Alma rner of Littlestown, Misses Lucila h, Nellie and Catherine Horner Mr. Addison and Stanley Horner home, and Mr. Jack Davis of Harr, Md.

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MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT.

The question of whether Gettysburg is to have a municipal light plant is one that is likely to be determined by the Town Council at their next meeting, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 5 With the last light we have on the subject Gettysburg should make no experiments with an expensive light plant.

The decision of the Public Service Commission means that no permit is needed for a man to light his own home or a borough to do its own lighting and that means that a municipal light plant could not sell a single cent's worth of commercial light or power. The entire expense of a plant must be charged up to the town. The mere statement of the proposition shows it would be impracticable as a business undertaking.

There is no reason for the town to go into the lighting business. The lighting has been well done and at moderate charge. The rate here has been a decreasing one at every renewal and a comparison of any of the rates with those elsewhere at the time would show that we paid no more here than at many places and much less than at many other. There is no reason for crippling the present plant with a municipal plant.

In all the years of the existence of the electric light plant here a dividend to stockholders has been an unheard of thing, which means that all the earnings of the plant have stayed in the town and gone into betterments for the company and to pay along the railroad. Over $5000 goes in wages each year to our own people and more in supplies, etc., and an injury to the plant will do harm to our neighbors.

If a corporation has not been able to make dividends for stockholders, run in a systematic, economical way a municipal plant would only make light more costly to the borough and a burden to the taxpayer.

Conservative figures on the cost of a municipal plant will run to $12,000 or $15,000, but whatever they might be the experiment is too costly a one to undertake with a debt on the town now of nearly fifty thousand dollars. Such members of the council as are desirous of spending the people's money on a municipal plant would win more popularity by adopting ways and means of not spending and keeping within the large tax rate, and making provision for payment of debt instead of increasing the same. At the present rate this town will be more than a generation in paying its present debt and if we keep on making debt faster than it can be paid no one now living may hope to see the town out of debt.

A municipal light plant experiment would prevent other more needed betterments. Better streets are a crying need and to experiment with a municipal light plant will put off any hoped for street betterment to a very far distant future.

There are so many reasons against an unnecessary municipal light plant that the borough authorities should not ever go so far as to put the expense of an election on the town to ascertain whether the people would vote an indebtedness for the purpose, and we are sure the people would sit down on the subject good and hard if given a chance.

Local Companies to Banquet

—The Reaser Furniture Company will hold their fourth annual banquet on Saturday evening, January 2nd, 1915, at 6 o'clock, and the Gettysburg Furniture Company will hold their second annual banquet on Saturday evening, Jan. 9th, 1915, at 6 o'clock. Both events will be held at dining parlor, St. James' Lutheran Church.

ARENDTSVILLE.

Miss Maud Stark of Pittsburgh is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. M. H. Hughes, Arendtsville, Pa.

The Sunday School Christmas service held by the two schools of this place were well attended and the programs well rendered. The churches were appropriately decorated for the occasion and the scholars each got a pack of candy and an orange.

Dr. Wm. E. Wolf of this place had a hog slaughtered that dressed 630 lbs.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will hold their monthly meeting Jan. 8, next. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. David Nary are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Grace Ervin in Chambersburg.

Miss Edna V. Miller who is attending the Business College in Lancaster, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller.

Clyde H. Lady who is attending the University of Columbia in New York City, and Ira Lady, who is a teacher, [illegible] Normal [illegible]

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DEATH OF LEADING CITIZEN

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A Prominent Business Man of Mt. Rock—Death of Miss Mattie Longwell in California.

TEMPEST C. NOEL, a leading citizen of Mt. Pleasant township, and a Justice of the Peace for many years, died on Monday at his home at Mt. Rock on Monday after a two weks' illness from heart disease, following a nervous breakdown in his 69th year. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Noel and was born near Abbottstown. He followed the milling business at Lilly's Mill and moved to Mt. Rock 30 years ago for the past 15 years has been engaged in wholesale grain and feed business. He represented the Hanover Mutual Fire insurance Company at Mt. Rock. He was a member of Conewago Chapel congregation, one of its trusteees and prominent member of a number of church organizations. He was always an ardent Democrat. He married Miss Agnes O'Neill, daughter of the late Peter O'Neill of Mt. Rock, who survives with three daughters and three sons, Mrs. J. I. Devine of Edgegrove, Mrs. Chas. E. Smith of Hanover, Mrs. Edward Smith of York, Thos. E. Noel of Baltimore, R. I. and P. O. Noel at home. Two sisters and a brother survive, Mrs. John Fowler of Dayton, Ohio, Miss Isabelle Noel of York, and Jerome J. Noel of Roanoke, Va. The funeral was on Thursday, solemn high mass being held in Conewago Chapel by Rev. Fr. Koch, and interment in the Chapel cemetery.

MISS MARTHA ANDREW LONGWELL, well known here as Miss Mattie Longwell died on Dec. 19 at Santa Monica, Cal., in her 72nd year. She had been ill about two months. She was a daughter of Major and Mrs. Hamilton Longwell who lived in this place many years last residing on Baltimore street over the hill. Miss Mattie Longwell has been a frequent visitor to Gettysburg where she had many warm friends. The body was placed in a receiving vault at Santa Monica and will be brought to Gettysburg in the spring for interment in the Evergreen cemetery. She leaves three brothers, Howard and Wilson Longwell of Santa Monica, and James Longwell of Santa Fe, Cal.

DANIEL O. GEHR, a prominent attorney of Chambersburg, died suddenly at his home in that place Sunday, after an illness of several days from indigestion. Mr. Gehr was a son of the late Hastings Gehr, Esq. He attended Gettysburg College, being a member of the class of 1887. After leaving college he returned to Chambersburg where he was admitted to the bar and for many years was associated with his father and brother in the practice of law. For the last few years he has been stenographer of the Franklin County Court. He is survived by his wife and one daughter.

SISTER MARY PAUL DE CHUCK died on Dec. 21 at the rerreat of the Notre Dame Convent at Elm Grove, Wisconsin. She was a native of Adams county, born near Littlestown August 1st, 1845, and had devoted almost fifty years of her life as a teacher in the order of Notre Dame. For twenty-five years she was a teacher at Nightingvale Woolerich, England. She returned to her native country and became Superior at Arcadia, Wisconsin. She remained there until her age and health compelled her to retire. She leaves three sisters and four brothers, Miss Laura E. Groft of Bonneauville, Mrs. M. Little and Mrs. M. Mulligan of York, Hiram Groft, Sylvester Groft, N. X. Groft, and George Groft, all of Mt. Pleasant township.

MAURICE A. NAU, died Christmas morning at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, where he was operated on for intestinal trouble from which he had been suffering for the past seven weeks. He was 39 years and 3 days old. Eighteen years ago he was married to Miss Sarah J. Wolf of Littlestown, who died three years ago. He leaves two children, Miss Catherine, aged 14 years, and Margaret, aged 3 years, also his parents, John H. and Sarah A. Nau, who made their home with him in Hanover. The following brothers and sisters, George H., of Washington, D. C., William D. and Charles E., of Littlestown, J. Calvin of Gettysburg, Joseph A., Mrs. Frank Feeser, and Mrs. Milton Snyder of Hanover, and Miss Mamie Nau at home. Mr. Nau was a carriage trimmer by trade. The funeral was held on Monday with interment in Littlestown cemetery.

HENRY J. GOTWALT of Hanover, died last Sunday aged 87 years and 12 days. He was a son of the late John Gotwalt and was born in Germany and when 6 years old came to America with his parents. The family lived many years in Tyrone township, this county. After the marriage of Miss Christine Yeiser of this county, they moved to New [illegible] He was a member of the Church of God. [illegible]

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[illegible] Monday, aged 72 years, after being stricken on previous Wednesday. He was a former resident of Adams county, having been born near Abbottstown, living there until 21 years of age, then he lived on a farm near Gettysburg and moved later to Franklin county and afterwards to Muncy. He leaves a wife and five children.

MRS. BAKER, mother of Peter Baker of Hamiltonban township, died on Dec. 22 from diphtheria. The wife of Mr. Baker died from the same disease on Dec. 1st. The interment was at Strang's graveyard.

CAPTAIN J. F. CHASE, known as the man who sustained forty-eight wounds in the battle of Gettysburg, recently died in St. Petersburg, Florida. He was a member of Stevens' Fifth Maine Battery on the field of Gettysburg and was struck by a shell. Years ago he had a small battle picture which he exhibited in a tent on the field near the present Cyclorama. His title of captain was acquired when he was placed on the governor's staff of his State.

MRS. IDA ALICE RHINEHART, wife of Andrew Rhinehart of Starner's Station, died Tuesday in her 55th year, from dropsy and enlargement of the liver. Funeral was held on Friday, interment in Bendersville Lutheran graveyard. She leaves her husband and the following children, Harry Rhinehart of Idaville, Emory Rhinehart of Harrisburg, Ira Rhinehart of Idaville, Mrs. George Keck of Mt. Holly Springs, Le Roy, Oscar, Bertha and Eva at home. She also leaves these brothers and sisters, Ervil Group of Mt. Holly Springs, Edward Group of Boiling Springs, Mrs. Charles Young of Starner's Station, W. G. Group of York Springs, Mrs. Annie Routsong of Gardner's Station, Mrs. Lizzie Myers of Lancaster, and Charles Group of Gardner's Station.

MRS. CATHERINE TRESSLER died on Monday at New Bloomfield in her 89th year. She was widely known as the friend of orphans and her best known gift is the donation of the plot of ground at Loysville on which is located the Tressler Orphans' Home, named in her honor.

Necrology of 1914.

Gettysburg has been wonderfully free from epidemics or contagious diseases during the year that is past, the best proof that this town is a good, healthy, sanitary residential place. The average age of those who have died during the year would be found very high for the larger number were of those who had reached an advanced age. The list will show a rate of about 13 to the thousand which in long established communities is a very low rate. Forty-five will be found in the first list. To this number must be added 12 who died here and were buried elsewhere, and of the list who died elsewhere and were buried here, there were five who had not lost their residence here, making a total of 62.

DEATHS IN GETTYSBURG IN 1914.

Jan. 6, Miss Maria S. Shultz.
Jan. 6, Abraham V. Scott.
Jan. 6, Mrs. Annie Day Pottorff.
Jan. 10, Helen Dougherty.
Jan. 12, Mrs. Hattie W. Pitzer.
Jan. 17, Robert M. Elliott.
Jan. 30, David Kitzmiller.
Feb. 19, Prof. Aaron Sheely.
Mar. 1, Josiah W. Sefton.
Mar. 11, Calvin Hamilton.
Mar. 16, Mrs. Susan Shields.
Mar. 23, Mildred Wright.
Apr. 4, Jacob Patterson.
Apr. 19, Margaret May Cleveland.
Apr. 20, Katherine Josephine Irvin.
May 1, Mrs. Susan Ruff Lightner.
May 7, Cora V. Miller.
May 11, May Jane Williams.
May 19, Samuel J. Althoff.
May 29, Dr. Harvey W. McKnight.
June 12, Sarah C. Wertz.
June 21, Wm. E. Bittle.
June 25, Mary C. Clunk.
July 10, O. Woodrow Luckenbaugh.
Aug. 5, Samuel Henry Buehler.
Aug. 25, Jesse M. Walters.
Aug. 30, David F. Sterner.
Sept. 1, Mrs. Sarah A. Cullison.
Sept. 20, Marcus J. Hamilton.
Sept. 26, Francis J. Aumen.
Sept. 26, Mrs. Edgar Diffenderfer.
Sept. 30, Frank W. Mitten.
Oct. 28, James E. Weygandt.
Nov. 3, Miss Anna M. Runkle.
Nov. 18, Miss Alice Baugher.
Nov. 26, Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rudy.
Nov. 29, John B. Leas.
Dec. 2, Maurice C. Fox.
Dec. 5, Mrs. Mary Shuff.
Dec. 17, Mrs. Veronica M. Thompson.

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Mar. 5, Norman V. Tonsil.
Apr. 26, Lloyd Watts Thomas.
May 7, Mrs. Charles Miller.
Aug. 18, Mrs. Florence Carter.
Oct. 28, Thomas McCullough.

DIED HERE, BURIED ELSEWHERE

Jan. 23, Benjamin Shetter, buried in New Oxford Cemetery.
Feb. 19, Miss Jennie V. Howard, buried in Salem Church Cemetery.
Mar. 4, J. Emory Bair, buried in Hanover Cemetery.
Mar. 13, Janet F. Sharp, buried at Fannettsburg.
May 3, Miss Evaline Matilda Rowe, buried at Emmitsburg.
May 10, Agatha Hess, buried at [illegible]
June 28, G. W. Weaver, buried at [illegible], Md.
[illegible] Fairfield Catholic Cemetery.
[illegible] Samuel Yeiser, buried [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Cemetery.
Mar. 7, Roger M. Klinger, at Pittsburgh, buried in Evergreen Cemetery.
Mar. 12, Miss Elizabeth Shields, at Washington, D. C., buried in Evergreen Cemetery.
Mar. 30, Mrs. Lydia A. Althoff, at York, buried in Catholic Cemetery.

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The Growth of Trust Companies

Copies of the twelfth Edition of "TRUST COMPANIES OF THE UNITED STATES," an annual publication which is compiled and published by the United States Mortgage & Trust Company, New York, have been distributed among the Trust Companies of this State.

The information contained therein is particularly timely in view of discussions during the past year at various State Banking Associations and at the recent convention of the American Bankers Association.

Statement of Citizens Trust Company of Gettysburg as of October 31, 1904

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and investments	$358,127.48	Capital	$125,000.00
Due from Banks	11,303.93	Surplus & Profits	45,484.13
Furniture and fixtures	2,000.00	Deposits	208,266.24
Cash	8,392.96	Unpaid Dividends	1,074
	$379,824.37		$379,824.37

Statement of Citizens Trust Company of Gettysburg as of October 31, 1914

Loans and investments	$684,583.21	Capital	$125,000.00
Due from Banks	7,701.29	Surplus & Profits	80,943.31
Furniture and Fixtures	20,849.27	Deposits	546,073.91
Cash	39,032.45	Unpaid Dividends	149.00
	$752,166.22		$752,166.22

According to a table in the book, showing a recapitulation of resources and liabilities of Trust Companies by States, Pennsylvania is reported as holding second place in point of banking resources.

As indicating the growth of Trust Companies the total resources reported June 30th, 1908 were $3,917,442,000 and on June 30th, 1914, the total resources of those Companies reporting were $5,924,979,000, which is more than one-half of the combined resources of $11,482,190,000, reported by the National Banks of the United States on June 30th, 1914.

In the Preface it is stated:

"The substantial increase of nearly Four Hundred and Fifty Million Dollars, shown in Trust Company resources, as compared with the figures of a year ago, together with the larger number of Companies recorded, is an impressive reminder that the scope of useful activity occupied by these institutions is continually broadening and enlarging.

Considerable attention has been given by banking associations and legislative bodies during the past year to a revision of the various State laws governing the operation of financial institutions within their respective jurisdictions. This in turn has led to more general recognition of the desirability of bringing Trust Company legislation, so far as might be found expedient and practicable, into line with the laws now governing those institutions whose operations are subject to the provisions of the Federal Reserve Act. By this means it is hoped that progress may be made toward insuring that greater degree of harmony and more effective concert of action between State and National institutions so necessary to the advancement of both and to the fullest development of the nation's resources and commerce."

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LICENSE NOTICE

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County.

It is ordered that all applications for licenses for the sale of vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, wholesale or retail, for the year 1915, will be heard on FRIDAY the 8th day of JANUARY, 1915, at 10:30 a. m., at which time all persons applying or making objections to applications, will be heard by evidence, petition, remonstrance or counsel. There must be no communication at any time with the judges personally upon the subject, by letter or any other private way.

The petition verified by affidavit of applicant, shall be in conformity with the requirements of the Act of Assembly. Judgment bond shall be executed in the penal sum of $2000, with no less than two reputable freeholders of the county where the liquors are to be sold, as sureties, each of them to be a bona fide owner of real estate in the said county, worth, over and above all encumbrances, the sum of $2000, or other legal security to be given.

Bond conditioned for the faithful observance of all the laws relating to the selling or furnishing of liquors, and to pay all damages which shall be recovered against the license, and all costs, fines and penalties, which may be imposed on him under any indictment for violating said laws; and the sureties may be required to appear in court and justify upon oath. The court shall in all cases refuse the application whenever, in the opinion of the court, having due regard to the number and character of the petitioners for and against such applications, such license is not necessary for the accommodation of the public and entertainment of strangers and travelers, or that the applicant is not a fit person to whom such license should be granted.

Petitions to be filed with the Clerk of the Courts not later than Saturday the 12th day of December, 1914. Objections and remonstrances to be filed not later than Saturday the 29th day of December, 1914. Upon sufficient cause being shown or proof being made to the court that the party holding a license has violated any law of the Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the court shall, upon notice being given to the person licensed, revoke the license.

By the Court.
S. McC. SWOPE,
Attest: Pres. Judge.
W. E. OLINGER, Clerk Q. S.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the last will and testament of Harry Deardorf, late of Arendtsville, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned.

JOHN A. KNOUSE,
Executor.
Arendtsville, Pa.
Or his Attys.,
Wm. & Wm. Arch. McClean.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Dr. J. F. Mackley, late of Fairfield Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

ANNIE MACKLEY,
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Executrix.

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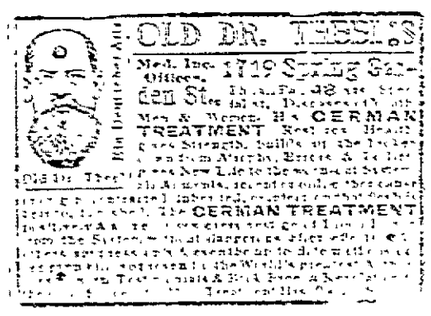

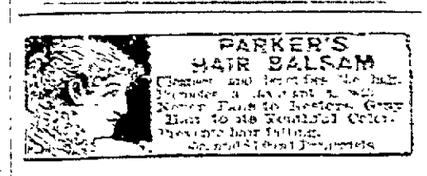

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ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Gettysburg National Bank that an election of nine directors to serve one year, will be held at their banking house on TUESDAY, JAN. 12, 1915, between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m.

E. M. BENDER, Cashier.

NOTICE OF PRIVATE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pa., has set MONDAY, the 4TH day of JANUARY, 1915, as the time for the authorizing, decreeing and approving of a private sale by Laura V. Currens, administratrix of the estate of James S. Currens, late of Hamiltonban township, deceased, of Tract No. 1, containing about 21 acres and 156 perches situate in said township, adjoining lands of Fred. Miller, Jacob Musselman, ——— Stallsmith and others to Alice I. Kepner, at the price or sum of $175.80.

J. L. WILLIAMS,
Atty. for Admrx.
Gettysburg, Pa., Nov. 30, 1914.

STRABAN TOWNSHIP ROAD ACCOUNT

Robt. D. Myers, Treasurer, in account with the board of road supervisors of Straban township.

DR.

Recd. from former Treas....$	373.93
Tax for 1912	34.03
Tax for 1913	937.56
Tax for 1914	2047.39
License	60.00
From State	139.93
	$3592.84

CR.

Labor .....$	959.00	
Plank, etc.	63.80	
Iron bridge beams...	80.15	
Iron culverts	118.82	
Rebates 1913	60.08	
Rebates 1914	75.29	
Snow shoveling	212.25	
Water troughs 1913..	10.00	
Water troughs 1914..	25.00	
Unpaid bills 1913....	8.70	
Bridge damage	10.40	
Making duplicate ...	5.00	
Cleaning room	.75	
Attending convention	7.20	
Postage, etc.	2.18	
Clerk's fees and affidavits	3.00	
Attorney's fees	20.00	
Collector's fees	53.78	
Supervisirs' compensation	16.00	
Paid on state road..	1250.00	
Secretary's fees	20.00	
Treasurer's fees	39.00	
Auditors' fees	6.00	
Printing and filing..	4.25	
Bal. in hand.....	541.67	
		$3592.84

RESOURCES.

Outstanding tax .....$	1684.76
Due from W. D. Brown.....	1209.64

LIABILITIES.

Due state on Macadam road..$	5976.33

We, the undersigned, auditors of Straban township, have examined the above accounts and find them correct.

WM. F. SHUE
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Auditors.

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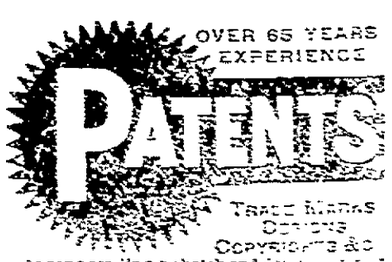

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BRAVE MISS BROWN

By H. M. EGBERT.

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"No, madam, it is impossible to obtain railroad accommodation," explained the ticket seller to Miss Amanda Brown for the tenth time, wearily. "You see," he added, with what was meant to be finality, "all the trains in Germany have been requisitioned for the conveyance of troops."

"I'll have you know, young man," sniffed Miss Brown, "that I am an American citizen, and I'm going to leave for Paris tonight, war or no war."

The American woman is a tradition upon the continent of Europe, and Miss Brown was soon the center of a curious crowd, which had begun to jeer her when Miss Brown, seizing the nearest of the station loafers, shook him until his head nearly fell off his shoulders.

However, it is one thing to shake a station loafer and another to shake the German government. Miss Amanda Brown, who claimed to be from Boston, could not secure any accommodation to Paris by rail.

The little frontier village of Sturwitz, which was momentarily expecting the arrival of the first detachment to entrain for the camp, ten miles further, on the debatable border line, was quite worked up about Miss Brown. A middle-aged art student, she insisted that her niece was waiting for her in Paris. The town would gladly have got rid of her, but orders were strict—foreigners who wished to cross the border must walk or drive, no railroad passages could be supplied.

"I don't care anything about your orders," said Miss Brown defiantly, settling the spectacles firmly upon her nose. "I got shunted here from Stuttgart, and it's up to the government to find me a train."

The military governor threw up his hands in despair. "You might as well ask me to find a train for General Fevert," he said.

Next to Miss Brown General Fevert was the question of the hour—or, rather, his whereabouts. A French officer of the highest distinction, and reputed the best tactician in Europe, he had been taking a cure at an unfashionable German watering place when war was declared. If the German government could lay hands on him before he crossed the frontier it would be worth, they calculated in Berlin, a hundred thousand men.

The frontier was being combed fine for Fevert, but thus far he had succeeded in avoiding arrest.

Miss Brown, baffled, would not acknowledge defeat.

"Well, get me a buggy, then," she conceded.

The military governor laughed. "You might as well ask for a horse," he answered.

"I can ride," said the American woman fiercely.

"Unfortunately," said the governor suavely, "every horse and wagon is taken over by the German government." And then he pondered deeply.

He was seriously troubled about Miss Brown. He had gathered, from words she had casually let drop, that she was related to somebody attached to the American legation at Vienna. It would never do to create an international difficulty with the United States.

"I'll tell you what I can do," he said to her. "My little daughter has a donkey cart. The donkey is old and I was going to have him killed. Do you think you can drive him across the frontier? Then you'll be out of my jurisdiction and will have to throw yourself upon the mercies of the French."

"Never mind the mercy," answered Miss Brown. "Where's the donkey cart?"

Half an hour later Miss Amanda Brown, having grudgingly tipped her hotel porter, was to be seen seated in the donkey cart, with an enormous old-fashioned portmanteau, wending her way toward the frontier. The crowd accompanied her to the edge of the town, jeering, but keeping out of reach of the whip she plied alternately upon the slow old donkey and upon the shoulders of those who ventured too near. And so Miss Brown disappeared into the twilight.

The military governor had given all the time he could spare to Miss Brown. He gave her no further thought. When an express telegraphed a while later, announcing the arrival of a mad, red headed American woman, driving a slow old donkey, ten miles beyond the town, and inquired what was to be done with her, he consigned her telegraphically to an untamable place and cleansed her from his mind forever.

This was as well, because the troops came up on the night train and marched out to attack the French at dawn. When day broke the Germans, in their trenches, were answering a dropping fire from the French on the crest of the hill.

And then, slowly creeping between the hostile lines, but taking a diagonal course toward the French, came Miss Brown in her donkey cart.

Through his glasses the German officer in charge could see that her bonnet was set well forward upon her head, and she was holding the portmanteau with one hand and the reins with the other.

As the officer in command described the event to his own government at Berlin:

"It was enough to take one's breath away. It was the accursed American woman about whom I telegraphed your excellency yesterday. She was driving the donkey of the daughter of General Pfiff at a pace of two miles an hour, and I [illegible] not to cease firing for fear of hitting her, since she is a relation of one of the American attachés at Vienna."

The French held their charge, too, though their cavalry, in reserve behind the hill, intended to perform a maneuver in the nature of a surprise. So, between the two hostile lines Miss Amanda Brown drove the donkey of General Pfiff's daughter.

But the truer account of the affair was given by the enterprising correspondent of Le Figaro, who, serving as a trooper in the Tenth cavalry, participated in the skirmish.

"When the American woman had at last crossed the danger zone," he wrote, "the Germans resumed their fire. The order being given, we saddled hastily and mounted, and so reached the crest of the hill.

"'Charge!' roared the colonel, standing up in his stirrups and waving his sword.

"With a wild answering yell our brave fellows dug spurs into their horses and galloped straight for the enemy. And at that moment a bullet pierced my horse's heart and he fell dead beneath me.

"You can imagine my disappointment at being left on the field, not even wounded. But, as I watched the advancing line of our cavalry I saw the most singular sight that I ever witnessed.

"For in the wake of them came the mad American woman—Miss Amanda Brown of Boston. Whether the ancient donkey resented our attack upon his countrymen or whether his aged bones were fired with the spirit of war I cannot tell you. Certain it is that, flinging himself forward in the shafts, he galloped after our horsemen with a speed almost equal to theirs.

"And in the cart, standing up and waving an ancient parasol, was Miss Amanda Brown.

"The charge was the work of about one minute. Our brave fellows flung themselves against the enemy, drove them from their trenches and sabered them unmercifully. By the time the Germans were in retreat I was standing up beside my horse and shouting in joy at the victory.

"And after the galloping horses went the donkey and Miss Amanda Brown.

"'A mascot!' I screamed, beside myself with joy. 'Eep, eep, oorah! for Miss Amanda Brown!'

"And I started running as fast as I could go to where the panting donkey stood among our soldiers, turning their horses' heads back from the pursuit and waving their dripping swords. Verily the crazed American woman had brought victory to the arms of France.

"Evidently our soldiers thought so, too, for they had gathered round Miss Brown and, pulling her from the cart, they raised her upon their shoulders and carried her homeward in triumph. And another party also raised the donkey, saluting him as a true-hearted German.

"When at last I met them Lieutenant Doyen was at my side, raging. He shouted furiously to the men.

"'Release that lady immediately!' he cried. 'It is disrespectful—it is not French. You must show chivalry and decorum. Down with her!'

"Ah, mon Dieu, how shall I tell you the sequel? Miss Amanda Brown had plucked the bonnet from her head and spectacles from her nose, and there stood revealed to us—the military bearing and patriotic features of our gallant hero, General Fevert!"

BEYOND REACH OF REASON

Some of the Very Peculiar Excuses People Give as Leading to Engagements.

"Why are engagements?" I had asked, and it was then that Max launched into his exposition.

"Men and women are attracted to each other for so many different reasons. Now, there's my sister Helen, who has just announced her engagement. She says she was first attracted to Dick because he resembled a schoolmate of hers, on whom she had a high school 'crush.'

"Then there is Gertrude—she dropped Herbert because she learned he wore suspenders; it would seem to follow that she was drawn to him because she thought him suspenderless. And Cynthia—little, dreamy Cynthia—surprised us all at Maude's tea by announcing that the only man who appealed to her was the man who could do things—whom she could respect because of his efficiency."

He went on, after a breath:

"There is Dawson, quite mad about that frowsy little South girl; says she is the first girl he has met who could swim better than he and does not mind getting her hair wet. And Simpson was a confirmed woman hater until he took a girl out skating to please his sister and they broke through the ice, were nearly drowned and became engaged a month later."

"What about congeniality?" I ventured.

"That is the cement," he answered, "the final process which makes the attraction lasting. When that comes, then you can say, 'they were married and lived happily ever afterward.'"—New York Press.

True Charity.

Think of thy brother no ill, but throw a veil over his failings.—Longfellow

FINALLY LEARNED THE TRUTH

Queen of Roumania Had to Go Incognito to Ascertain Real Worth of Her Voice.

In her youth, Queen Elizabeth of Roumania spent much time on the training of her voice, and, encouraged by flatterers, came to believe herself to be a singer of unusual talent. At length, says Bibliothek der Unterhaltung und des Wissens, she decided to have her voice tried by some great teacher. So she went one day, dressed very simply, and without the usual retinue of servants, to see Professor Dumanois of Bucharest, and urged him to give his frank opinion on the quality of her voice, and her future prospects. He tested her voice with great care, first with the simple scales, then with a song, and lastly with an operatic aria.

When the trial was over, the professor said: "I cannot say that you have a wonderful voice. You sing fairly well, and with not a little feeling. I might undertake to train you to sing in operetta; but to speak quite frankly, you haven't the looks for it."

Up to this time the teacher had not known that the rank of the aspirant was any higher than that of scores of other young ladies, equally ambitious, who constantly came to him. But his surprise was great when the lady handed him the visiting card of the queen, and he found that he had before him no less a personage than royalty itself. The queen thanked him heartily for the frank way in which he had judged her musical ability, and went home with her ambition in that direction decidedly diminished.

MUCH SOUND; LITTLE EFFECT

Protest of Champ Clark Reminded Alabama Statesman of Humorous Story.

The most dramatic day of the Sixty-third congress was when Champ Clark, the speaker of the house, took the floor for his famous speech explaining why he opposed President Wilson's policy of repealing the Panama canal tolls exemption law. Clark was on the losing side, and everybody knew that the vote would certainly uphold the president.

While the speaker was delivering his remarks in his vibrant, booming voice, Tom Heflin of Alabama walked through the Democratic cloakroom. Even there the thunder of Clark's voice was audible.

Heflin stopped, laughed and said:

"That reminds me of an old colored man down in my state. He was working out in the middle of a field on a hot summer day. It was so hot that the heat seemed to be simmering visibly wherever you looked. After a while the midday train rushed by about half a mile away, whistling for a crossing and roaring and thundering as it went.

"The old man watched it go by, took hold of his hoe and stooped over his work once more. Then he said, talking to himself:

"'Boom! Bing! Bum! Hum! But I's gwine to ride you nex' Saddaynight!'"—Popular Magazine.

Big Business Helps Missions.

It has often been said that business in foreign lands has owed much to Christian missions in opening up new territory to trade. It now develops that missions will owe something to big business. It has been the custom for the home offices of the foreign missionary societies to pay their representatives in the field by foreign drafts. The war has made this method impossible. The treasurers of the various missionary boards at a joint meeting voted to appeal to some American mercantile house doing business in every part of the world. They decided to ask the Standard Oil company to become the agent of the mission boards for the transmission of money to their stations in foreign fields, and through its treasurer the arrangement was speedily made. The readiness of the company in doing this without compensation is indicative of the spirit of co-operation for the common good which underlies our great corporations.—Leslie's Weekly.

Carrying the Polish Jewels.

If the archbishop of Cracow, in his flight from the threatened city, has really taken all the sacerdotal treasure with him his load must be a heavy one. For in the cathedral, ancient Poland's Westminster abbey, were gathered rich tribute in gold and jewels from generations of Polish lords and ladies. The kings of Poland—and many of her uncrowned kings—are buried in the cathedral. Here Kosciusko sleeps. Cracow in the days of its metropolitan glory sheltered 80 churches within its walls. A third of that number remain, more than enough for the present population.—London Chronicle.

School Children's Health.

Boston's health authorities have started another vigorous campaign against giving communicable diseases of children a foothold in that city. School physicians are urged to inquire at the homes of children the cause of their absence, and in an open letter to parents the authorities advise that physicians be consulted in every case where the child complains of throat affection.

Goatskins Scarce in Mexico.

There is to be a shortage of goatskins from central Mexico for at least two years to come, because of the fact that breeding stock and young goats have been taken for food.

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WHAT THE HORSES CARRY

French, German and Austrian Animals Are Taxed More Than English and Russian.

Cavalry are playing an unexpectedly large part in the war, and the weight carried by cavalry horses in the various armies is of interest. The British cavalry is armed with the short Lee-Enfield rifle, the magazine of which holds ten rounds; the sword, which is carried by all ranks except signalers; and the revolver, carried by warrant officers, staff sergeants, sergeants, trumpeters and drivers. Each trooper carries 100 rounds of ammunition in a bandolier over the left shoulder. Lancer regiments carry the lance. Each cavalryman (like the infantryman) carries an emergency and the "iron" ration and a ration for his horse. Then there is the kit. Altogether the British troop-horse carries about two hundred and eighty pounds.

The regular Russian cavalry are armed with sword, rifle and bayonet, and each man carries 40 rounds of ammunition. There are the two days' oats and hay ration, a cloak, and an entrenching tool. The cavalryman's kit, two days' rations, spare horseshoes, horse blanket, canvas bucket, and a mess-tin go to form the complete equipment, and weigh altogether about one hundred and nineteen pounds. The Cossack pony carries about two hundred and thirty-eight pounds. The average weight carried by the Indian troop horse when ready for war is about two hundred and sixty-six pounds. The Austrian troopers carry a weight between two hundred and eighty and two hundred and eighty-six pounds, and the average in the French and German armies is about the same.—Manchester Guardian

FIND CAUSE OF SOURNESS

Giant Elephant at New York Zoo Is an Actor and Naturally Temperamental.

At last Doctor Hornaday and Raymond L. Ditmars of the Bronx zoo have found out just why Gunda, in addition to being the largest elephant in captivity, has steadily built up a reputation as the greatest section of elephant hide encasing the largest chunk of temperament in the known world.

The answer is easy. Gunda's temperament is due to the fact that Gunda has become an actor. Temperament simply oozed from every pore when Gunda was called forth at long range to pose for the series of moving pictures that are being taken of the zoo animals for Curator Ditmars.

"Register sweetness and light, there's a good Gunda," called the movie director as Gunda was led out and the camera began to click.

Gunda, missing the cue, instantly tried to register murder, fire, and sudden death. Doctor Ditmars, who had been in the act of stepping up to Gunda and offering the elephant a loaf of bread, changed his mind and went away from there. The last heard of one of the movie men was in the form of a long yell retreating through Yonkers.

But Doctor Ditmars got his pictures of Gunda in the act of being temperamental finally, and they are now being shown by Doctor Ditmars these days at the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.—New York Sun.

War Distances.

War, besides being a great leveler, is also a great educator. Places we had never even heard of previously are now becoming as "familiar in our mouths as household words." The distances are apt to be somewhat confusing unless understood. It ought, however, to be quite easy to remember that a meter measures about one and one-twelfth yards, or more exactly, 39.37 inches. A decameter is 10 meters, a hectometer is 100 meters, and a kilometer is 1,000 meters, or a little more than three-fifths of a mile. The Russians express the length of their [illegible] or the distance from place to [illegible] in versts. A verst is rather [illegible] than a kilometer, the exact distance being 0.66288 of a mile, or between three-fifths and four-fifths of that distance.

An Americanized Embassy.

The German embassy in Carlton House terrace in London has changed its name to suit the vicissitudes of the time. It is now [illegible] "American Embassy" [illegible] Black [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] New Zealand [illegible] if the fair sex should be [illegible] to the New Zealand force.

And No Osterizing?

Insurance authorities find that in the last 50 years the average man has increased his length of life by seven years. At this rate, as may easily be determined, the man of 2014 will live 146 years longer than the man of today, in spite of the war.

HARD TO INTERRUPT SERVICE

Common Mistake That Wireless Communication Can Be Easily Interfered With.

Many suppose that it is possible for an enemy to disrupt and suspend all wireless communication at will by producing very powerful waves of irregular length; in other words, by interference or "jamming." According to Commander F. G. Loring of the British navy, such tactics are seldom successful. It is very hard, if not impossible, to "jam" a well-organized wireless service, for there are many ways, both technical and methodical, to defeat such an intention. If the enemy attempts interference, he must put his own wireless communication completely out of action for the time being, with no certain prospect of seriously inconveniencing the communication of his opponent. Commander Loring also believes that the risk of having the signals of the fleet intercepted by an enemy is very slight. "Co-operation between operators, with full knowledge of each other's methods, is extremely important when handling difficult code messages, and the more skilled the organization, the more difficult it is for a strange operator to take down with the necessary accuracy the groups of a code message. He cannot ask for the repetition of doubtful groups, and he has no intimate and daily familiarity with the methods of the sender to assist him in his task. And, after all, giving the enemy every advantage, giving him a perfect record of the signals, the key of the code to his hand, and equal facility of skill and language to translate it for use—a most important combination, it must be admitted—he has still failed to prevent the all-important information from reaching its destination." — Youth's Companion.

ORIGIN LOST IN ANTIQUITY

Phrase That Has Become Famous Has Been Credited to Many Thinkers and Writers.

"Germany's place in the sun" is a phrase usually credited to the former Chancellor von Buelow. But how far back does it go?

A writer to the New York Evening Post quotes from Ernest Renan's "Life of Jesus," "The situation of a poor man is dreadful; literally there is no place for him in the sun." The writer of the letter observes, "It would be interesting to know if the metaphor was original with Renan."

It was not.

In Pascal's "Thoughts" this occurs: "This place in the sunshine is mine; that is the beginning and the type of usurpation the world over." And Pascal's "Thought," of that moment, was of war.

Was it Louis Fourteenth (the monarch of Pascal's maturity) who had coined the phrase to justify his ambitions? Or was it the phrase of Richelieu (discoverer of the youthful Pascal's genius) who used it for France? Was it then an old saying, borrowed from Caesar, or Alexander—or maybe from Rameses?

A Terrible Weapon.

A new weapon has been provided for the United States army which is far more efficient than any heretofore adopted. It was invented and is used by the French military authorities, and already nearly a hundred have been purchased by the United States. The new gun, which is described in the June Popular Mechanics Magazine, weighs but 35 pounds and can easily be carried by a soldier. Two men are required to operate it, both of whom lie flat on the ground, presenting a small mark to the enemy. One man feeds the cartridges into the breech of the gun in clips of 25 each, while the other aims the weapon and directs the firing mechanism. The gun will fire separate shots or will operate automatically, in which case 300 shots may be fired per minute. At long range a third soldier ascertains the range by the use of binoculars and reports the effect of the bullets.

French Schools Reopened.

The schools of France have partially resumed, after holidays which started early in July. They are badly disorganized, however, both on account of the fact that fully 25,000 schoolmasters are serving with the colors, and that many of the older boys are on the firing line. By order of the minister of public instruction the first lesson of the term took the form of an address by the headmaster on the war, [illegible] those who have [illegible] in defense of the country.

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House With Glass Floors.

George R. Howe of Norway, Me., is planning to build on a hill in that town a fireproof house, entirely of artificial stone, steel and glass. The floors and stairways will be of solid glass, while electricity will be used to a great extent to eliminate possibility of fire.

BACKACHE IS A WARNING.

Gettysburg People Should Not Neglect Their Kidneys

Backache is often nature's most frequent signal of weakened kidneys. To cure the pains and aches, to remove the lameness when it arises from weakened kidneys, you must reach the cause—the kidneys. If you have pain through the small of your back, urinary disorders, headaches, dizzy spells, or are nervous and depressed, start treating the kidneys with a tested kidney remedy.

Doan's Kidney Pills have been proved good and are especially for weak kidneys. Doan's have been used in kidney trouble for over 50 years. Read Gettysburg testimony.

Mrs. H. H. Ridinger, 245 W. Middle St., Gettysburg, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are not a new remedy in our family. We have used them for years for kidney disorders and pains in the back and they have always brought relief in a short time. I took this remedy when I was suffering from backache, chills and dizzy spells. They soon drove away the trouble."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Mrs. Ridinger had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

A fine large doe wandered from the mountain to the farm of Clarence Musselman at the edge of Fairfield, after spending a while there it went into the town and quietly made a tour of inspection before returning to the hills.

For Men and Women.

Backache? Feel tired? Not so strong as you used to be? Getting old? Many people mistake kidney trouble for advancing age. Kidneys out of order make you feel old before your time. Foley Kidney Pills tone up and invigorate the kidneys, banish backache, rid your blood of acids and poisons. Sold by The People's Drug Store.

Advertisement.

MR. SANDERS and family of Franklin Grove, Ill., who have not been in this vicinity for over fifteen years, are spending the holidays with relatives near Emmitsburg.

FOR any itchiness of the skin, for skin rashes, chap, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 50c at all drug stores.

Advertisement.

OSCAR CARR of McSherrystown, was arrested by Officer Hermon on oath of Philip King of York charged with assault and battery. It was alleged Carr assaulted King on a recent Saturday night at a dance in Penn township, York county. The quarrel is is said to have started over a girl.

Stop the Child's Colds

They Often Result Seriously

Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough are Children's ailments which need immediate attention. The after effects are often most serious. Don't take the risk—you don't have to. Dr. King's New Discovery checks the Cold, soothes the Cough, allays the Inflammation, kills the Germ and allows Nature to do her healing work. 50c. at your Druggist. Buy a bottle to day.

Advertisement.

O. I. M. HOUCK, proprietor of the Hanover Steam Bakery, Hanover, has announced that after Dec. 30, he will give without charge to destitute people and those out of work, the unsold bread from his bakery. Distribution to be made three times a week.

Children's Coughs, Children's Colds Both Are Serious

When one of your little ones shows symptoms of an approaching Cold, give it Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey at once. It acts quickly, and prevents the Cold growing worse. Very healing—soothes the Lungs, loosens the mucous, strengthens the system. It's guaranteed. Only 25c at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Sores.

Advertisement.

JACOB H. HOOVER who has been conducting machine shops in connection with handling an extensive farming implement business, along the State road near New Oxford, has sold his entire plant including shops and dwelling to C. P. Smith of York county at private terms.

SHAKE OFF THE GRIP of your old enemy, Nasal Catarrh, by using Ely's Cream Balm. Then will all the swelling and soreness be driven out of the tender inflamed membranes. The fits of sneezing will cease and the discharge, as offensive to others as to yourself, will be stopped when the causes that produced it are removed. Cleanliness, comfort and renewed health by the use of Cream Balm. Sold by all druggists for 50 cents or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., New York.

Advertisement.

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What She Meant.

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Advertisement.

HARRY KNOUSS, son of Mr. [illegible] Knouss of Arendtsville, received a painfully scratched face while coasting, when he made a turn descending a steep grade and ran into a bank.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought
Advertisement.

Biliousness and Constipation Cured.

If you are ever troubled with biliousness or constipation you will be interested in the statement of R. F. Erwin, Peru, Ind. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion followed by biliousness and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended, I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away." For sale by all dealers.

Advertisement.

CARLISLE lays claim to having started the Christmas saving fund idea. It originated with Merkle Landis, treasurer of the Carlisle Trust Co., where it was first tried with immediate success. Since the idea has been copyrighted and sold to about two thousand banks.

Demand for the Efficient.

Alert, keen, clear headed, healthy men and women are in demand. Modern business cannot use in office, factory or on the road, persons who are dull, lifeless, inert, half sick or tired. Keep in trim. Be in a condition that wards off disease. Foley Cathartic Tablets clean the system, keep the stomach sweet, liver active and the bowels regular. The People's Drug Store.

Advertisement.

THE Reaser and Gettysburg Furniture Factories at Gettysburg gave their employees a Christmas recess beginning on Thursday noon and ending Monday morning.

TAKING baby up at night is often the cause of bad colds. Use Dr Fairney's Teething Syrup and stay in bed Sets.

Advertisement.

THEODORE BISH of near Littlestown, sold 125 turkeys before Christmas, the total weight of which was 2290 pounds and the average price being 18 cents per pound.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER
Advertisement.

THE Sylvania Lodge of Odd Fellows of Littlestown, has recently received new paraphernalia that ranks among the finest in this part of the State. They are now preparing to initiate the largest class of candidates since their organization ten years ago.

Cough Medicine for Children.

Never give a child a cough medicine that contains opium in any form. When opium is given other and more serious diseases may follow. Long experience has demonstrated that there is no safer or better medicine for coughs, colds and croup in children than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is equally valuable for adults. Try it. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

Advertisement.

MORE than 500 Christmas trees were cut along the Conewago Creek near New Oxford last week. Most of these were taken to Hanover loaded on wagons carrying as many as 150 trees each.

CASTORIA.
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Advertisement.

ON Christmas the P. H. Glatfelter Paper Company at Spring Grove distributed $5.00 gold pieces to all of their 350 employees who have been in service a year or more. Those who have worked a shorter time received smaller sums according to time served.

Dangers of a Cold.

Do you know that of all the minor ailments colds are by far the most dangerous? It is not the colds themselves that you need to fear, but the serious diseases that they so often lead to. For that reason every cold should be gotten rid of with the least possible delay. To accomplish this you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy of great help to you. It loosens a cold, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration and enables the system to throw off the cold. For sale by all dealers.

Advertisement.

CHAS. DITZLER, a former resident of near Heidlersburg, is recovering from injuries received at the Columbia Flint Mill at Aspers, where he was caught in the shafting and sustained a broken arm and other injuries.

Fever Sores.

Fever sores and old chronic sores should not be healed entirely, but should be kept in healthy condition. This can be done by applying Chamberlain's Salve. This salve has no superior for this purpose. It is also most excellent for chapped hands, sore nipples, burns and diseases of the skin. For sale by the Peoples' Drug Store.

Advertisement.

B. F. LIGHTNER of Gettysburg, who owns some fruit land in Florida, had a car load of oranges shipped from there to Gettysburg and while the car was being shipped through Savannah, Ga., it was entirely destroyed by fire.

DR. FAIRNEY'S Teething Syrup is the best remedy for your children's ailments. [illegible] Try it.

Advertisement.

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Try This for Neuralgia

Thousands of people keep on suffering with Neuralgia because they do not know what to do for it. Neuralgia is a pain in the nerves. What you want to do is to soothe the nerve itself. Apply Sloan's Liniment to the surface over the painful part—do not rub it in. Sloan's Liniment penetrates very quickly to the sore, irritated nerve and allays the inflammation. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

Advertisement.

Stomach Trouble Cured.

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Mr. J. P. Floto of Edina, Mo., says: "I have used a great many different medicines for stomach trouble, but find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used." For sale by the Peoples' Drug Store.

Advertisement.

AN effort is being made by the different automobile associations of Southern Pennsylvania to have the automobile toll on the Wrightsville bridge reduced. At present it is forty cents a car and it is considered excessive.

CASTORIA.
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Advertisement.

No gunning can be legally done in Adams county during the existence of the quarantine for foot and mouth disease. The restriction imposed by the State Livestock Sanitary Board affects all counties under quarantine. There are over 2600 licensed hunters in this county, and no exceptions are made which will permit persons hunting on their own premises.

How to Cure a Lagrippe Cough.

Lagrippe coughs demand instant treatment. They show a serious condition of the system and are weakening. Postmaster Collins, Barnegat, N. J., says: "I took Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for a violent lagrippe cough that completely exhausted me, and less than half a bottle stopped the cough." Try it. The People's Drug Store.

Advertisement.

COL. T. [illegible] has received during his term $127,270 in fees for the issuance of Notary Public Commissions and this money has been paid into the State Treasury.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR RHEUMATISM KIDNEYS AND BLADDER
Advertisement.

GRANT HANES a Biglerville lad, had the misfortune to fall from a couch and break a bone in his arm. This is the second time within the last few months the boy has broken the same arm.

FEEL languid, weak, run down? Headache? Stomach "off?" A good remedy is Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist. Price $1.00.

Advertisement.

THE quarantine has been lifted from the herd of cattle of D. W. Sunday of near East Berlin that has been quarantined for several weeks on account of the hoof and mouth disease.

Five Cents Proves It.

A Generous Offer. Cut out this ad, enclose with 5 cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., and receive a free trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial and lagrippe coughs; Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale in your town by The People's Drug Store.

Advertisement.

CHAS. GRIFFIN of near New Oxford, an employee at the Alwine Brick Plant at Berlin Junction, while leading one of the horses, was badly bitten on the arm between wrist and elbow by the animal. The heavy coat he wore doubtless prevented a more serious accident.

Life Insurance Refused.

Ever notice how closely life insurance examiners look for symptoms of kidney diseases? They do so because weakened kidneys lead to many forms of dreadful life-shortening afflictions. If you have any symptoms like pain in the back, frequent, scanty or painful action, tired feeling, aches and pains, get Foley Kidney Pills today.

Advertisement.

WHILE hunting rabbits one day recently J. H. Lawver of Arendtsville made a shot that was both good and bad luck. His faithful hunting dog chased out the rabbit and when Mr. Lawver fired both animals dropped dead. The dog was valued at $25.

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Advertisement.

What Supports Them.

Bill—Switzerland is noted for its scenery, you know. Jill—Yes, but a person can't live on scenery. "Well, the hotel proprietors seem to be doing pretty well at it."—Yonkers Statesman.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER
[illegible]

Noah's Complaint.

[illegible] "—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

[illegible] Doan's Regulets [illegible] per box. At all drug stores.

Advertisement.

The Hint That Failed.

Wife—A tree, you know, gets new clothes every spring—hat, parasol, everything. Husband—Yes, darling, and makes them all itself.—Fliegende Blatter.

CHEAPEST accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. For burns, scalds, cuts and emergencies. All druggists sell it. 25c. and 50c.

Advertisement.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Advertisement.

LEWIS and George Klunk, executors of the estate of the late Joseph Klunk have sold the brick house in McSherrystown occupied by Mrs. Mary Crane, at public sale to Dr. V. H. Lilly for $2675.

Excellent for Stomach Trouble.

"Chamberlain's Tablets are just fine for stomach trouble," writes Mrs. G. C. Dunn, Arnold, Pa. "I was bothered with this complaint for some time and frequently had bilious attacks. Chamberlain's Tablets afforded me great relief from the first, and since taking one bottle of them I feel like a different person." For sale by all dealers.

Advertisement.

IAS YOU FEAR CANCER

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